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WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Intermittent rain. Winds southeast 15 m.p.h. Cooler. High Today—57.
Yesterday's Sunshine—1 hour 48 minutes.

New Soviet Stand On Atomic Control Still Blocks Issue

Austin Labels Vishinsky Move As Typical Oriental Manoeuvre

PARIS, Oct. 2 (AP)—Russia changed signals unexpectedly today and demanded the United Nations ban the atomic bomb and set up atomic energy controls at the same time.

The Soviet Union still insisted, however, upon veto over the control machinery.

Western Power delegates saw no compromise in the surprise move nor any break in the deadlock over atomic energy control. They said they were going straight ahead with plans to demand a vote of confidence in their stand from the U.N. General Assembly.

Warren R. Austin, U.S. delegate, told newsmen the Soviet proposal was a typically "oriental manoeuvre." He said the American delegation was now assured Russia is ready to accept the central plan of the U.N. Atomic Energy Commission, but added that the proposal which would insure the harnessing of atomic energy in the service of mankind.

Andrei Vishinsky, Soviet deputy foreign minister, put the Soviet resolution before the 58-nation Political Committee of the assembly.

Vishinsky's resolution called upon the assembly to recommend to the Security Council and to the Atomic Energy Commission that they continue their work toward finding an atomic solution.

It called for the council and the commission to draw up one treaty banning atomic weapons and another on the establishment of effective international control over atomic energy.

These treaties, the resolution specified, should be drawn up with a view that both are to be signed and put into force simultaneously.

The Soviet resolution, however, would put the assembly on record as saying that the work of the Security Council and the Atomic Energy Control Commission so far had not yielded positive results. This is directly counter to the proposal by Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton of Canada, for the assembly to approve majority reports of the commission.

Report Says Attlee May Resign

LONDON, Oct. 2 (AP)—The News of the World said tonight it had a report that sailing Prime Minister Attlee "may resign within the next two or three weeks."

The political correspondent of the Independent London newspaper attributed the report to stories in close touch with Downing Street where Attlee has official residence.

Members of Attlee's household said "we know nothing of it."

22 Drowned Off Norway As Flying Boat Capsizes

OSLO, Norway, Oct. 2 (AP). — A Norwegian flying boat capsized and sank near Trondheim today apparently killing 22 of the 44 persons aboard.

Earl Bertrand Russell, 76, the British philosopher, was saved soon after he had been plunged into the water. He was en route to Trondheim to lecture.

The Norwegian airlines said three were killed, 19 are missing and 20 were saved. As divers was no response to radio calls for missing persons to report, it now appears certain all the missing drowned. Three of them were babies.

The fate of the missing probably will not be determined finally until the Scandinavian ferry boat is brought to the surface. Darkness and rough weather forced rescuers to abandon work last tonight.

A board of inquiry is trying to find the cause of the mishap.

The four-engine plane sank swiftly while trying to land in heavy wind and a rough sea about 700 yards off Hommelvik, a village east of Trondheim.

All the victims were Norwegian citizens, with the possible exception of Norwegian-born Mrs. Liabech Gulbrandsen, who is a naturalized citizen of the United States.

NARROW ESCAPE

Earl Russell was en route to Norway for a speaking engagement. As the aged philosopher stood shivering on the shore he remarked: "A narrow escape." Shoved into the sea by a crew member, he started to swim but was picked up soon by rescuers in a motor boat.

He suffered no injuries. Helping hands provided blankets for warmth when the aged scholar came ashore. He is scheduled to lecture in Trondheim on Monday night.

Among the missing were two crews. The pilot suffered a broken arm.

The big plane with a crew of seven and 41 passengers was en route from Oslo.

Russians Play Hide and Seek In Air Lanes

BERLIN, Oct. 2 (AP).—The Russians served notice that their fighter planes would practice aerial gunnery in the airlift corridor to Berlin today. But officials said tonight that no British or American planes was any shooting.

Yesterday Russian fighters flew in the corridor machine-gunning ground targets without posting any notice.

"That's the way they seem to operate," one U.S. air official said. "One time they'll say they are going to do something in the corridor and don't do it. Next time, they'll do it without telling us. Just to keep us guessing, I guess."

There still was no reply from the Russians to an American protest against the buzzing by Russian fighters of two U.S. cargo planes three days ago. Yesterday Russian Yaks made a mock attack on a British plane and a similar British protest was filed.

Ceremony Opens Community Chest Drive for $180,000

—Colonist Photos

TINY Judy MacCorman, appearing in a Community Chest parade yesterday afternoon as Miss Victoria, is shown in the top picture embedding a "challenge" to Mayor Peggy E. George in a brief ceremony in front of the City Hall. The mayor accepted the challenge on behalf of the city and citizens, expressing the hope the Chest's $180,000 objective would be reached this year.

In the lower picture, a large part of the crowd is shown gathered in front of the City Hall to witness the impressive ceremony. Proceeds of the drive will go to 31 Greater Victoria social and welfare agencies supported by the Chest.

The Community Chest parade through the downtown area was organized by the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

The Fraternal order of Eagles' officials responsible for organizing the parade included W. Bridgewood, M. P. Paine, Arthur Bishop and Ray Wainwright.

AIR OF OPTIMISM

George Randall, organizer of the drive this year, reports that tomorrow about 75 per cent of the Greater Victoria area will be covered by salesmen calling on the public. And in city churches today with emphasis placed on the spiritual aspect of the drive.

There is an atmosphere of optimism at headquarters of the Community Chest in Prince Robert House.

In the past several days more than 300 women have picked up their campaign kits and many of them have expressed confidence the drive will go "over the top."

"Operation Give-a-Lift" will be launched tomorrow in Greater Victoria. Forty Monday through October 23 the Community Chest will have an army of canvassers covering the area. Each of them will have an objective to do his or her best to help in the collection of $180,000. The money is urgently needed by 21 various social and welfare agencies.

Victorians were forcefully reminded of the campaign yesterday afternoon when a large parade, organized by the Fraternal Order of Eagles, passed through downtown streets. Hundreds gathered in front of the City Hall to witness a ceremony in which Mayor Percy E. George and representatives of adjoining municipalities received a challenge to reach the campaign objective.

The challenge, presented by tiny Miss Judy MacCorman, acting as Miss Victoria, with Walter M. Walker, co-chairman of the campaign, was accepted by Mayor George on behalf of the city and its citizens. Miss Victoria rode in a specially-constructed float entered by the Community Chest to depict the motto of this year's drive—"Every Gift a Human Life."

PRESENTS PLEA

Miss Victoria presented a plea on behalf of Greater Victoria's "unlucky children." There were "lots and lots of them," she said.

Mr. Walker said the Community Chest would not leave a stone unturned in its efforts to make the drive a success.

A Community Chest "challenge" flag was raised on the flagstaff over the City Hall steps prior to the brief ceremony.

In his reply, Mayor George expressed confidence that the citizens of Greater Victoria would put the Chest drive "over the top." He warmly praised the Community Chest and those who work with it voluntarily.

COLORFUL PARADE

Many and varied entries filled out the long parade. Heading the procession was the Royal Canadian Navy Band from H.M.C.S. Naden, followed by automobiles carrying civic, municipal and Community Chest dignitaries.

Well ahead of the procession were six members of the Victoria Motorcycle Club, all riding motorcycles. They assisted city police to keep the route cleared.

Marching groups included the Sagitten Marching Club, the Eagles' Ladies' Auxiliary March Corps, Oak Bay Girls' Drill Team, Victoria Girls' Drill Corps, Boy Scouts and Royal Canadian Sea Cadets. In addition to the Navy Band, there were the Greater Victoria Boys' Band, Victoria Girls' Pipe Band, Royal Canadian Navy Sea Cadet Band, and the Eagles' Band. May Queens from more than 300 women have picked up their campaign kits and many of them have expressed confidence the drive will go "over the top."

Chest Drive Challenge to City To Help Needy With Real Lift

1948 Accident Toll

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS:
(Figures shown parenthesis represent total for last week)

	Langford Victoria	Saanich	Oak Bay	Remainder
Killed	4 (0)	3 (0)	2 (0)	0 (0)
Injured	153 (3)	34 (0)	2 (0)	4 (0)
Written reports	653 (29)	112 (4)	29 (1)	31 (0)

CONVICTIONS:

Dangerous driving	127 (2)	48 (3)	15 (0)	16 (1)
Driving, intoxicated	34 (2)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)
Exceeding speed limit	279 (3)	270 (4)	0 (0)	75 (7)
Cars impounded	48 (0)	6 (1)	1 (1)	2 (0)

Cultivate good driving and walking habits and you won't have to worry about motorcycle policemen and fines—you will obey the law from force of habit.—Memo from Oak Bay Police Chief H. C. F. Revies.

First Convention Ballot Gives Drew Leadership; Commons Seats Offered

New Party Chief to Make Bid For House Before Next Session

By TOM GREEN
Colonist Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA, Oct. 2.—The mantle of the Federal chieftain of the Progressive Conservative party has been placed upon the broad shoulders of 54-year-old Hon. G. orge A Drew, first elected Premier of Ontario in 1943 and re-elected in 1945 and 1948 Provincial contests.

On the first ballot in the wind-up today of the party's national convention, Col. Drew received 877 of the 1,242 votes cast—just three votes shy of dictating the consented vote of his two opponents, John G. Diefenbaker, Federal member for Lake Centre, Sask., obtained 311 votes, and Donald M. Fleming, Federal member for Toronto-Eglinton, got 104 votes.

At a press conference this afternoon, according to The Canadian Press, Premier Drew stated that he intended to seek a seat in the House of Commons "before the next session."

OFFER TO RESIGN

Party officials reported that within a half-hour after his election, Mr. Drew had received several offers from Progressive Conservative members of the Federal House to resign their seats to create a vacancy.

Pandemonium broke loose as Col Drew's selection was announced, and lasted for five minutes. But the tumult was only subsiding when Mr Diefenbaker reached the microphone and moved that the nomination of Col. Drew be made unanimous.

CALLS FOR CHEERS

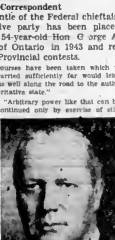
The retiring leader John Bracken hailed for three cheers for the candidates aid the delegates gave them lustily.

There were two other speakers—the new leader and Mrs. Drew. Flushed with the excitement of the moment, Col. Drew had to stand at the loudspeaker for nearly five minutes while the audience cheered.

Launching into his speech, the new leader lauded a call to arms. It was evident, he said, in the convention that there was a determination to "maintain our traditional Federal constitution with its decentralization of authority, which brings administration closer to the people through Provincial and Municipal Governments."

He lashed out at "brain trusters"—that "small detached group of men without responsibility to anyone, who have been running this country without being answerable to the Government itself." The business of this country would not be carried on by "academic theorists, who, if ever heeded, a Dominion Government. He warned that "dangerous more arbitrary power," Col. Drew said. It was against "dangerous policies" like "budgeting by surplus" that the party would wage war in an all-out fight.

Mrs. Drew in voicing her appreciation of the demonstration said she knew her husband would "be very worthy of your faith."



PREMIER GEORGE A. DREW

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Ship Fire Damages 20 Cars

Blaze at Detroit Overcomes Firemen

DETROIT, Oct. 2 (AP)—Fire broke out tonight on an automobile-loaded Great Lakes freighter in the Detroit River but was brought under control a short time later.

The flames lapped at all three decks of the ship, the T. J. McCarthy. Damage was confined mainly to the middle deck.

The boat, tied up at the T. J. McCarthy Steamship Co. dock, was almost fully loaded with about 200 cars destined for Buffalo.

Three firemen were overcome by smoke. Others battled the blaze wearing gas masks. T. J. McCarthy, company president, said about 20 cars were badly burned and others were damaged by water and steam.

The ship was not damaged severely, he said, and probably will be sailing again within a few days. There was no structural damage, he added.

STARTS IN CAR

The blaze apparently broke out in a car on the first deck and was confined for a while to the hold. A fire-boat offering assistance had been turned back.

Later, however, flames roared up into the two upper decks. Firemen were called off the second time when a main beam supporting the third deck cracked.

Urge Free World Market For New Canadian Gold

OTTAWA, Oct. 2 (CP).—A resolution demanding immediate establishment of a free world market for newly-produced Canadian gold was inserted today in the platform of the Progressive Conservative Party.

Delegates to the party's national convention went on record in favor of eventual establishment of a free market for all gold and immediate establishment of a free market for gold produced henceforth.

MOVED BY LEAVE

Rodney Adamson, member of the Commons for York West in Ontario, sponsored the move to have an additional outlet opened for Canadian gold. At present, Canadian gold must be sold to the Government for an ounce.

Mr. Adamson took issue with an original resolution which urged that pending the establishment of a free market the Government pay gold producers a "price comparable to the increased price which has occurred in respect of other commodities."

Adoption of the resolution, said Mr. Adamson, would signify the Progressive Conservative Party is against subsidies as a "fundamental policy," he said. "Furthermore, the gold mining industry does not want a subsidy."

Mr. Adamson said the Bretton Woods financial agreements should be altered to permit establishment of a free market for all gold. The agreements contained a clause, however, which permitted the sale of newly-produced gold on any market in the world. Canada should take advantage of this clause pending the overhauling of the agreements.

Among those speaking against Mr. Adamson's amendment was L. S. Lachner of Vancouver. He said the resolution as originally drafted represented a compromise between opposing views. He believed deadlock would be "frustrated" to accept the amendment.

BULLETIN

To Mukden

PEIPING, Oct. 3 (Sunday) (AP).—Chiang Kai-Shek flew to Mukden yesterday at the height of a battle which may decide the fate of the Government's slip holdings in Manchuria.

It was believed in Peiping that Chiang by his personal visit will make important decisions affecting Manchuria.

Tells of Flight From Fire On Fish Boat

VANCOUVER, Oct. 2 (CP).—Selby Martinson, 20-year-old fisherman, recovering here today from burns suffered when his boat burned to the water like in the cold waters of Queen Charlotte Sound, said "I never thought I'd see Vancouver again."

The lone fisherman, who has plied in West Coast waters for 24 years, was driven from his 31-foot Pilcher 14 by fire which broke out late last night.

After suffering painful burns he escaped into an eight-foot skiff and attempted to row the six miles to shore.

"My engine backfired," he said, "and in minutes my whole boat was afloat. I tried to stop it with my fire extinguisher, but it was no good.

"I managed to release my skiff but burned my hands so couldn't row. I thought my time had come."

Martinson was picked up by the Prince George, C.N.R. coastal steamship, and brought here today. He is a native of Norway.

Highs and Lows Of the Weather

	Precip. Min.	Max.	Inches
Montreal	47	57	.40
Toronto	41	57	.01
Winnipeg	29	46	.00
Edmonton	29	48	.00
Regina	29	46	.00
Saskatoon	29	48	.00
North Battleford	29	46	.00
Prince Albert	29	46	.00
Letbridge	29	48	.00
Calgary	29	43	.00
Edmonton	29	48	.00
Kamloops	41	59	.00
Vancouver	41	60	.00
VICTORIA	41	57	.00
Prince Rupert	40	55	.00
Dawson	29	46	.00
Chicago	51	65	.00
San Francisco	51	65	.00
New Orleans	61	77	.00

Find Mysterious Object To Be Japanese Balloon

LYTTON, B.C., Oct. 2 (CP).—A mysterious white object, which was sighted about 35 miles southeast of here, and thought to be a parachute by R.C.A.F. searchers, was identified today as a various paper Japanese balloon bomb.

An Air Force Dakota Transport, flown by Pl.-Lieut. C. H. Hossmann, of Vancouver, contacted the ground rescue party by radio.

The Dakota was plainly visible on the ragged edge of a tiny valley scarce, as the plane described a tight circle above it. Below the white object, hung the shrage and shrouds of the rigging, tangled hopelessly in the tortuous of a tree at about 6,000 feet.

First sighted by an Airline pilot, Don Molver of Vernon, B.C., on Tuesday, the object was reported to air rescue officials.

The R.C.A.F. had no report of a missing man or craft in that area, but thought it might lead to the unnoticed disappearance of a Tiger Moth en route to Campbell River, Vancouver Island, about three weeks ago.

Two men from the parachute rescue division of the R.C.A.F. were taken into the area Thursday, flying a radio-equipped truck as a base. Sgt. L. B. Leckie and L.A.C.T. Brasinder fought their way over the wild and ragged terrain.

They made only three miles on the first day.

Supplies were dropped to the party Friday, along with a package containing three strings and a needle and thread for Leckie, who had been promoted in his absence.

As the huge Dakota circled above the plane radio truck, the weary search party could be seen making their way to the road.

They said the "parachute" was made of paper of the type used for Japanese balloon bombs during the Second World War. The bomb was still attached.

Army demolition experts will decide how to dispose of the bomb.

The West Coast was a target for many such bombs during the closing stages of the war. No fatalities were recorded, and it was thought the object of the missiles was to start fires in the rich timber belts of the interior.

No Agreement Possible From U.N. Says Russian

BERLIN, Oct. 3 (AP).—The Russian commander in Germany told the world tonight to expect no solution of the Berlin crisis from the United Nations. He said agreement could be reached only by direct negotiations with the Soviets.

Debate on the blockade starts Monday in Paris. The United States, Britain and France referred the explosive issue to the United Nations Security Council, accusing Russia of undermining peace and security.

Marshal Vasily Sokolovsky indicated in a long statement the main price at any agreement could be reached only by direct negotiations with the Soviets.

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Sokolovsky gave a strong "indictment" of the Western Powers refusal to give up the West German state was the real reason for the collapse of Big Four talks after an apparent agreement had been reached.

"Trying to get a solution of this question in other ways is only aiming at continuing the abnormal situation," he said, and it "will not lead to the results the Western Occupation Powers hope for."

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Correspondents in Argentina Restored Right to Send News

BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 2 (AP)—The Peron Government temporarily restored to five foreign correspondents tonight their rights to send news messages. Their privileges had been lifted 12 hours earlier. The Government explained neither action.

Cable companies said the Government told them to accept and transmit news until Monday when a definite decision would be made. The decision could be either a confirmation of the restoration of the five privileges or a new suspension.

The correspondents involved were Joseph P. McFeely of The Associated Press; Milton Bracker and Virginia Lee Warren of The New York Times; Herbert M. Clark, who represents The Chicago Sun-Times, Buffalo Courier Express, London Telegraph and the A.B.C. broadcasting chain; and Jose Arrieta, Uruguayan who is news manager here for Reuters, the British news agency. Clark also is part-time representative of The New York Daily News.

Injured Boy Recovering

EDMONTON, Oct. 3 (CP)—Eleven-year-old Michael Lintner, critically injured last Monday in a plane crash near Fort Nelson, B.C., tonight continued to show steady improvement, hospital authorities reported.

The boy's mother was killed when the light Bellanca plane in which she was flying Michael to school to the United States crashed into Steamboat Mountain, 65 miles west of Fort Nelson.

The injured lad spent 42 hours in the plane, part of the time in a snowstorm, before a ground rescue party pulled him out.

Says Cabinet Seeking Reds

PARIS, Oct. 2 (AP)—One of Gen. Charles de Gaulle's aides charged today that top Government circles want to take the Communists back into the French Government.

Jacques Soustelle, secretary-general of De Gaulle's French People's Party (R.P.F.), made the charge before the party's national council. He referred to persistent reports in the French press that high leaders of the Socialist party want to take the Communists back in efforts to help strikes.

Tugboat Men Offered Boost

VANCOUVER, Oct. 3 (CP). — Five hundred Vancouver tugboat men, demanding a 226-a-month pay boost, were offered $15 today in an employers' counter offer.

In making the announcement, James Thompson, Pacific Coast vice-president of the Canadian Seamen's Union (A.F.L.), said no progress was made on the question of increasing days off from seven to ten each month.

Killed by Plane

FRANKFURT, Germany, Oct. 3 (Sunday) (AP).—The United States Air Force said an American was killed last night in a fresh accident involving two C-54 ninth transport planes.

The Air Force said a fire truck crashed into a taxiing plane on the Frankfurt Rhine-main air base. The driver of the truck, an enlisted man, was killed by a propeller.

The truck then piled into another parked C-54.

Junior Seeks Premiums Cereal Firms Get Sales

NEW YORK, Oct. 3 (AP).—Getting the small fry to eat more cereal since was strictly a parent's chore.

Today it's a multi-million-dollar business in the United States.

Junior's stake in the project goes far beyond mere nourishment. For him, the rewards are premiums that reflect his up-to-the-minute interests in the atomic age: "Atom bomb" rings, jet plane models and pilot's goggles.

For the people who make the ready-to-eat cereals, of course, the reward is sales—an estimated $175,000,000 worth annually.

The energetic young cereal-eater and boxtop collector of recent months could, with his prizes, furnish the whole neighborhood, develop his own sideshow, perform feats of magic, or set up complete circuses or frontier villages of cardboard.

He could adorn himself with aviator's helmets, tennis caps, cowboy spurs, badges, bracelets and any number of assorted rings.

One of the rings offered was called a "pirate's gold detector." Another could be used for signaling at night.

So far, however, the number one headliner was that atom bomb ring. When you put your eye close to the plastic bomb, you could see a radiant substance inside that sparkled as if alive. More than 3,000,000 children sent 15 cents and a boxtop for that one.

Premium-giving is as old as antiquity. Frank Waggoner, a New York trade publication editor who has written college textbooks on the subject, believes one of the earliest premiums on record was a medal given to natives of Pompeii who attended the baths. That would be about the middle of the first century B.C.

Waggoner credits the first premium in America to a laundry soap maker of the 1890's.

This year, the total value of premiums used to stimulate sales is expected to top $7,000,000,000.

Nine Drowned As Tug Sinks

NEW YORK, Oct. 3 (AP).—Nine men drowned early today when a tugboat sank in the Hudson River after colliding with a 12,000-ton freighter. Six tugboat crewmen were rescued.

The freighter, Elias J. Whitaker, was headed north to Albany, N.J., with a cargo of molasses. The tug, Ann-Marie Tracy, towing two empty barges, was going south. All the lost men were crew members of the Tracy, which went down immediately. The Whitaker, later pronounced seaworthy, proceeded to Albany.

Reason of the crash, which occurred off 26th Street, brought help from other craft in the vicinity.

Cause of the collision was a mystery.

Athlete's Foot
Do your feet hurt, burn, blister, or itch? Do you get that "tired feeling" in your feet and legs when you walk? Then try Athlete's Foot Powder. Kills germs causing Athlete's Foot, Prickly Heat, Chafing and Sweat. It soothes, heals, gives quick and permanent relief. Don't let Athlete's Foot cripple you. Relief is only a few days away. Ask for Athlete's Foot Powder tonight. Wear for up to 48 hours. Use it after bathing, shaving or on a sweaty feet. Get your druggist to-morrow morn.

Montgomery Named

—Central Press Canadian.

Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery, who has been named chairman of permanent military defence committee of five-power Western Union. Appointment of Chief of British Imperial General Staff followed two-day meeting of five Defence Ministers at Paris.

British Tories Plan Parley To Map Out Campaign Strategy

LONDON, Oct. 3 (CP).—The largest conservative party conference in history opens Wednesday at Llandudno, Wales, with a renewed battle for campaign strategy in prospect.

A general election is only two years away and a comprehensive Conservative program to win votes has still to be announced. This disturbs a substantial group in the party which believes Labor propositions should be met by a detailed statement of Conservative policies for voters to ponder at their leisure.

But a second group, now in the majority, contends that new policies must develop slowly. These Conservatives think they should wait until the election is nearer before making a complete program to serve as a target for the Labor critics. They also contend that by waiting they can capitalize on Labor Government errors and omissions and cut their platform planks to fit.

Only on two major aspects of new policy will the Llandudno conference be informed. It will have in mind an "industrial charter" covering labor relations, industrial cooperation and factory policies approved by the conference last year.

It will be asked to approve an "agricultural charter" with proposals for farm stability, increased production and better housing in rural areas.

Now being prepared are additional charters on Commonwealth and Empire relations and on family life, with special emphasis on the work and cares of women.

But even when all these charters have been prepared and approved, critical party elements will argue that more is needed to capture the public fancy in 1950.

Policies enunciated by Conservative leaders, including Winston Churchill, often are in general terms and only in industrial relations and agriculture have they documents they can distribute and discuss as indicative of new, progressive Conservative policies.

To Eavesdrop On Fish In Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Oct. 3 (Sunday) (CP).—An ex-Navy electrical engineer will have his under-water listening device hooked up today along the waters of English Bay, hoping to hear some more fish talk.

A veteran of 30 years' naval service, the fish eavesdropper, who wishes to remain anonymous, has been listening to fish talk for some time and hopes eventually to come up with some information of interest to British Columbia fishermen.

His listening device is a cross between a depth-recording echo sounder and the wartime-developed submarine detecting apparatus known as "Asdic."

The engineer says the practical purpose of his device is to enable fishermen to locate fish and shellfish.

"From what I have been told by fishermen," he said, "salmon make a sort of booming noise, and a kind of barking sound."

Shrimps make a whistling-whoosh-ing noise, like "coal rushing down a chute."

GIESLER INJURED

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif., Oct. 2 (AP).—Jerry Giesler, noted California criminal lawyer, was seriously injured today when his automobile struck a tree at an intersection here.

Giesler was alone in his car at the time of the accident. The attorney is now counsel for Actor Robert Mitchum, accused on narcotics charges.

Platform Plank Urges Canadian Aid to Airlift

OTTAWA, Oct. 3 (CP).—The Progressive Conservative national convention on Saturday an eight-point defence policy to "assure the safety of the Canadian nation."

One plank of the platform, adopted by the party's national convention after brief debate, urged "immediately" but unspecified — Canadian help for the Berlin airlift.

The convention rejected an army veteran's appeal for a statement in favor of wholesale expansion of the three armed services. George Hees of Toronto, who served Canada during the World War as an army captain with the First Division, moved an amendment advocating expansion because of the "critical" world situation.

Acting Prime Minister St. Laurent had said repeatedly that "war may break out at any moment." For this reason, the Dominion should build its armed strength in relation with that of Great Britain and the United States, said Mr. Hees. His motion was seconded by Sam Hughes of Welland, Ont., but was turned down when put to a vote.

The adopted resolution said the party advocates:

1. An adequate air defence force.
2. Bringing active and reserve forces and cadet services up to strength.
3. An effective airborne force.
4. An emergency plan for conversion of industry from peace to war.
5. An emergency civil aid and defence plan for urban centres.
6. A voluntary period of Navy, Army and Air Force training for high-school graduates and other qualified youths, to be eligible on completion of service for trade and university training benefits.
7. An air training program comparable to the Officers' Training Corps scheme; Federal support of flying clubs and air cadets.
8. Immediate Canadian participation in the Berlin airlift.

P.C.'s Favor Margarine In Canada

OTTAWA, Oct. 3 (CP).—The Progressive Conservative national convention went on record today as favoring the "production and sale" of margarine in Canada.

An overwhelming majority of delegates on the convention floor voted by a show of hands for a surprise motion calling on the party to make this declaration:

"We advocate the free production and sale of all foods beneficial to health be permitted in Canada."

The mover, L. S. Eckhardt of Powell River, B.C., said specifically that the motion was aimed at removing the bars against the production and sale of margarine.

He appended to a platform resolution which said the party would attack the high cost of living by, among other things, "encouraging and freeing production" because maximum production is the "surest way" of reducing the cost of goods.

Thus, advocacy of margarine became one of the planks of the party platform now to the making.

THIRTY KILLED

HONGKONG, Oct. 3 (AP).—Thirty persons were reported dead and 500 homeless in the typhoon that struck Hainan Island on Monday.

Damage was reported at $5,000,000

Third Person Dies in Crash

VANCOUVER, Oct. 3 (CP). — John O'Rourke, 18, of Bellingham, Wash., died in hospital today, third victim of a highway collision in suburban Burnaby.

Two youths died last night, three were critically injured and five other persons were taken to hospital as a result of two separate automobile accidents. Both were in Burnaby.

Earlier, police reported James C. Darby, 18, and Oene F. Monsige, 21, both of Bellingham, dead.

LEAVES FOR BRITAIN

OTTAWA, Oct. 3 (CP). — Donald Fleming, one of the two successful candidates for national leadership of the Progressive Conservative Party, will leave tomorrow on a six-week trip overseas. The Member of the Commons for Toronto Eglinton, who placed third in the balloting, will attend the London meeting of the Empire Parliamentary Association as a Canadian delegate.

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The Local Scene

With Additional District News on Page 35

R. E. Hartman New President Of City Toastmasters' Club

R. E. Hartman was elected president of the Victoria Toastmasters' Club, No. 38, at the annual meeting. A. G. Kinniss was installed as president. Other officers elected included W. R. Gazzard, sergeant-at-arms, and E. M. Whyte, secretary-treasurer.

New officers were installed by Past District Governor Barrie Coulk.

With eight new members added to the club, officials said it is now nearing a complete roster of members as allowed by the International.

New members included J. C. Finlay, W. G. Holmes, W. P. Wright, H. R. MacGregor, H. A. Main, R. G. Moore, M. C. Jennings and P. Musgrave.

A program for the Winter months has been prepared by the officers of the club and it is anticipated it will be necessary to start a new club in Victoria in the very near future.

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CHANGES PLEA

George Brunner, R.M.C.S. Cayuga, pleading guilty in a dangerous driving charge at a special sitting of Esquimalt police court yesterday, was fined $15 and had his driver's license suspended for one month.

Last Monday, Brumley pleaded not guilty to the charge, but yesterday changed his plea.

Sgt. James Smart told the court the accused was the driver of a naval jeep which was in collision with a telephone pole on Old Esquimalt Road on September 15. He said damage to the jeep amounted to $150, and one passenger was injured in the crash.

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IN NEW QUARTERS

The Canadian Red Cross Society has moved its Victoria office to 1066 Fort Street and will officially open the new building in November.

The society bought the new building and remodelled it to provide space for all its activities. Its telephone numbers remain unchanged.

The old building was at 802 Broughton Street.

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GUEST ARTIST

Ralph Macadams, popular Victoria baritone, will be guest artist at the benefit recital presented by the Schubert Club in the new Salvation Army Citadel at 8 p.m., Tuesday, October 5.

Jessie Lake, Marjie Carver and Hazel Jackson will be the club soloists. Marian Campbell and Marjorie Bassman will sing a group of duets with Dorothy Gough acting as accompanist for the evening.

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APPEAL ALLOWED

Brian J. Lister, Gordon Head Camp, found guilty on a charge of driving without adequate eye glasses, was fined $10 by Magistrate C. H. Hall in city police court yesterday.

The magistrate gave Lister the right to appeal to the Attorney-General for refund of the fine. He said he gave the accused this right because of his evidence that he had just started a new job, and was in dire need of funds.

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PROGRAM AT "Y"

Edward C. Lucas, lecturer and world traveler, will be guest speaker at the Y.M.C.A. Music Hour tonight.

Mr. Vidal, who accompanied troops in the Far East, will give an illustrated talk on some of his experiences entitled "Around the World with a Camera."

Following his talk he will give a half-hour piano recital.

COLLEGE ASSEMBLY

Prizes and scholarships worth more than $2,500 will be presented at the annual assembly at Victoria College on October 22.

Hon. W. T. McEwen, Minister of Education, will be special speaker. Dean Walter Gage, who was professor of mathematics for five years at Victoria College before going to University of British Columbia in Vancouver and becoming dean of administrative and interfaculty affairs, is expected to represent the university at the assembly.

The assembly will start at 8 p.m. in the college auditorium.

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CHEQUE STOLEN

Theft of a $100 naval allotment cheque was reported to police Friday by Mrs. Joseph T. Brown on behalf of Juanita C. Brown, 1136 Hillside Street.

Police said the cheque was stolen from a hallway mailbox in an apartment house.

A similar report was received by police September 29 when Mrs. R. A. Ruptash, 211 Wilson Street, said a $90 naval allotment cheque was stolen from a hallway mailbox.

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GARDEN TALK

Mrs. A. Leonard, Lakeview Gardens, will discuss "Alumn in the Garden" at the next meeting of the Victoria Horticultural Society to be held at the City Hall Tuesday evening, October 5.

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CAR ROBBED

A. Tuland, 326 Simcoe Street, reported to police yesterday that a number of articles were stolen from his car overnight Friday while parked in his driveway.

Missing are two auto blankets, one flashlight, pair of pliers, screwdriver and sash tool.

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JACKET STOLEN

Mrs. F. Lorraine of California reported to police the loss of her $250 fur jacket overnight Friday. She told police she has been residing at the Windermere Hotel.

PENSIONERS TO MEET

The Victoria Aged Pensioners' Association, Inc., will meet at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Orange Hall on Broughton Street.

Today's Question

Answer on Page 4

How old is the British Columbia Police Force?

Indian Grave Adds Data To U.S. Lore

MONEYTE FALLS, N.Y., Oct. 2 (U.P.).—One of the richest finds in Indian lore in years has been announced by Harry L. Schoff, archeologist engaged in excavation work in the Finger Lake district of New York.

In the grave of a high-born Indian girl, Schoff uncovered a piece of brown, leather-like parchment, bearing the signature of a 17th century missionary. The Indian girl is believed to have been one of the missionary's earliest converts.

The parchment, apparently a fragment of an early baptismal certificate, carried the name of Father Julian Garnier, S.J., a missionary who worked among the Seneca tribe from 1660 to 1672.

Records show that the priest was the first Jesuit ordained in Canada, receiving his holy orders in April, 1666. After visits to Onondaga and Cayuga, he began his Seneca mission, but was interrupted in 1673 by De la Barre's threatened invasion.

FAMILY WEALTHY

The grave evidently was that of a young Indian girl, about 12 years old. Articles found with the skeleton indicated she was a member of a wealthy family. In the tomb were thousands of colored glass beads, three trade kettles, two pottery jars and an iron trade axe, all of the Seneca style.

The parchment fragment is based on a piece of blanket. At the upper right hand corner, written in script, is the word "France." The small letter "e" preceded the word, indicating the original designation "Nouvelle France."

The ink used was believed to be iron and gall mixed into a solution for writing purposes. The fragment was preserved through the centuries by a powerful coating of zinc and copper, resulting from an enclosed brass kettle which lightly was resting over the paper.

FALL COMES TO FLETCHER'S

Yes . . . it's Fall. By the calendar, September 21 was the official date. By the weather, there's that feel in the air. There are fortnesses to check, there are leaves to rake, yes and there are new clothes to buy. That is where "Can" Fletcher's Men's Shop at 753 Yates Street, can help you. Sells, there are more than six hundred of them at Fletcher's, and that's a lot of suits. All the latest styles, for the conservative taste and for the college man, tweeds, worsteds, gabardines, they are all on display. Topcoats, there's a matching selection, from the new Commando weave of enduring quality to the gabardines. West of Kingsland cloths, covert cloths and camel hairs. It's a wonderful display, and its time with fine new Fall season, ready to give you that choice you want. Whether you have to reach for the bus rail or duck your head through the door you'll find the fit for you at Fletcher's. Don't forget hats and accessories at Fletcher's too, there's just everything in smart wear for smart men at "Can" Fletcher's, 753 Yates Street.

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Holding Eighth Annual Salon Here

Victoria Camera Club is holding its eighth annual International salon of photography this month. Prints selected will be on display in Empress Hotel, October 17 to 24. Before official opening, judges are examining prints and selecting only those of highest qualifications. Picture above shows judging at work. From left to right are Stephen Jones, salon director; J. A. McDonald, Vancouver; B. Gray Warner, A.R.P.S., and Ken McAllister, Victoria.

—Colonist Photo

Chest's Head Makes Plea For 'Real Lift'

On the eve of the opening of Greater Victoria's Community Chest campaign, which starts tomorrow, Walter P. Jeune, president of the chest, issued the following appeal to the citizens of this area:

"I, as president of the Greater Victoria Community Chest, ask all citizens of Greater Victoria to first check the many blessings they have been granted. After this they should ask themselves, 'should I share with my less fortunate neighbors?'

"I am sure your answer will be 'Yes,' and that when one of the volunteer army of canvassers calls on you, you will make your donation not just what you can easily spare, but make it a real sacrificial gift—a gift that will give some of your neighbors the hope they so sadly need at this time.

"Let us make these contributions while we say, 'The greater the gift the higher the lift.'"

Coast Strike Still Unsettled

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2 (AP).—The costly West Coast maritime-longshore strike went into its second month today with no sign of a move to break the deadlock.

On the local waterfront there was no activity except that of picketers and the loading of army ships with supplies for the Orient.

Waterfront employers and the shipowners were standing fast on their refusal to deal further with leaders of the striking unions until they make their leaders sign non-Communist affidavits under the Taft-Hartley Act. Those unions are the C.I.O. Longshoremen and C.I.O. Marine Cooks.

The employers would negotiate with other striking unions. But the unions are bound in an agreement that none will sign until all sign.

EXTINGUISH BLAZE

Saanich fire department reported putting out a chimney fire yesterday at 6:35 p.m. at the home of P. W. Taylor, 2056 Sinclair Road.

Ratepayers of Ward Three, Saanich Silent on Further Airpark Blocking

Officials of Ward Three Saanich Ratepayers' Association were silent yesterday on further plans to block completion of Greater Victoria Memorial Airpark at Gordon Head.

The by-law rezoning the site for airpark use passed third reading in Saanich Council Tuesday after Reeve E. C. Warren was ousted from the chair when he refused to accept Councillor W. C. Kersey's motion. Reeve Warren pointed to the municipal solicitor's opinion that first and second readings were invalid.

Ward Three Ratepayers' Association may launch legal action to have the whole matter reconsidered. Norman C. Bell, president of the association, said last night that there will be a meeting next week to consider the question. He declined to make any further statement.

Said Rex Hardie, member of the association and opponent of the airpark: "I can only refer you to our solicitor."

WORK STARTS SOON

"I am surprised that an old-time flyer like Rex Hardie will oppose the airpark at a time when the world political situation is so tense, considering that we may need every trained pilot we can get," commented W. A. Scott, chairman of Greater Victoria Memorial Airpark Association.

Work on the airpark will probably start in a few days. Mr. Scott said yesterday it awaits harvesting of the hay crop which covers the runway site. The hay will be sold.

Frank Copley and other workers, with bulldozer and graders, will begin preparing the runway for aircraft. All equipment and labor has been donated.

"The airpark hasn't cost the city a cent," Mr. Scott pointed out. "It's a community effort by a few individuals who, against all opposition, have worked to give the community this vital asset without leaving a legacy of debt behind."

He pointed to the current emphasis on air training for youth all over the continent, and said that Victoria youth deserved a chance to fly.

LETTER OF THANKS

Mr. Scott and Archie Smith, chairman of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce airport committee, attended last week's Northwest Pacific Air Planning Convention in Vancouver.

In a letter of thanks to Saanich Council for the rezoning move, P. D. F. Holmes, secretary of the airpark association, said:

"We shall do our utmost to prove you right in rescuing this property by developing the area as an airpark and recreational centre of which your municipality and the entire Southern Island will be proud."

He said the large attendance at September's air show was a sign that a great majority of Vancouver Island people are air-minded, and added: "Although this association has at all times appreciated the point of view of those who would not have the airpark, we hope now to be able to convince them that the airpark will be neither a nuisance nor a danger."

Will Officiate For New Year

Canter I. Liffman, Vancouver, and Canter J. Narod, Victoria, will officiate at Jewish New Year services to be held in Victoria today.

Sunset on Sunday, October 3, will usher in the New Year, 5709, in the Jewish calendar.

B. Bricker, president of the congregation at the Jewish Synagogue, Blanshard Street and Pandora Avenue, said yesterday the Victoria Jewish community would celebrate the holiday for two days.

"This holiday is characterized by a unique combination of solemnity and rejoicing, and a remembrance proclaimed with the blast of ram's horns," he explained.

Mr. Bricker said the past year had emerged for the Jewish people as the hardest date of their national restoration on their historical native soil.

He said prayers would be offered for a just peace in the Holy Land and all over the world.

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YATES at BROAD

Operators Say Walkout "Greatly Exaggerated"

An official of Bloedel, Stewart & Welch Ltd. said The Colonist last night reports concerning a walkout of loggers from its Port Alberni plants had been "greatly exaggerated."

The official was contacted at Port Alberni where the first reports of a "walkout" originated.

"Loggers' board has been raised," he said. "As a result a number of our men protested. They want to have the choice of continuing and going back to work or getting their time. About 350 out of 2,000 employees on Vancouver Island chose to get their time. They were the younger type of men, most of whom have been with us only a short length of time."

The official said the company's Port Alberni operations "lagged as usual" on Friday following the dispute. The operations were closed yesterday, customary procedure each Saturday.

Answering a suggestion of officials of the International Woodworkers of America that the company might bring in other labor to replace the men dismissed, the company official said it would be "a routine thing" to employ new men.

"A LITTLE HIGHER"

"This is a little heavier than usual, that's all," he declared.

Union officials in Vancouver said there was a possibility employment offices might be picketed if operators tried to bring in other labor.

The protest walkout occurred Friday when the loggers objected to a daily increase of 50 cents in their wage rates.

Four hundred other loggers were reported to have thrown down their tools in support of men dismissed in the Port Alberni area.

In the Cowichan Lake area crews on Western Forest Industries Ltd. operations refused to go to work.

At Rosburg, on the north end of Vancouver Island, 150 men walked off their jobs in pulp logging camps.

Crews at the Silver Skagit operation near Hope were reported to be moving yesterday at five miles an hour in a general slowdown.

INTENDED PROTEST

George Grassy, spokesman for the loggers, said he men had intended to stage only a 48-hour protest against the increase in board. When they didn't go to work, Superintendent Harold Brennan told them they could "go and get their time."

Grassy said the increase raised the rate of board from $60 to $70 per month and practically wiped out any wage increase the men had received under the recent wage conciliations.

All men affected by the increase then joined their comrades and said they would leave too, Grassy declared.

He said an effort was made by a committee of the men to meet a company official for further discussion and explanation of their stand, but that overture was ignored.

Grassy said meetings of the men were conducted in an orderly fashion, although all the protesters were highly incensed at the action of the company.

Grassy left Port Alberni on Saturday for Vancouver where he will lay the whole situation before district union officials.

I.W.A. Local 1-68 in Port Alberni is supporting the men asserting that under the 1948 agreement a man may take 48 hours off from his job without jeopardizing his position.

Furthermore the union contends that in the method of procedure in the case, the company has contravened a clause in the 1947 master agreement which says: "The company and the union will meet at such time and place as may be convenient for the purpose of discussing wages, working conditions, and adjusting any matters which properly come within the scope of collective bargaining between employer and employee."

It was lodged by the union men who had been with the company for as long as 14 years were affected by the company action.

Union officials at Port Alberni said they were not sure as yet what procedure to follow.

A report that S. S. A. W. men at Great Central had also left camp was not confirmed Saturday.

In Vancouver Ernest Dalking, British Columbia president of the I.W.A., charged that the board increase had wiped out the recent 16-cent an hour wage increase, claimed operations had raised board rates in the Queen Charlotte Islands, Cowichan Lake area and Silver Skagit.

Union officials emphasized the affair was not a strike. They will meet today in Vancouver to discuss the situation.

Interior British Columbia camps, to which the recent increase did not apply, have reported no trouble.

Population Shows Boost

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2 (AP).—California has joined New York and Pennsylvania in the 10,000,000 population club, the census bureau reported tonight.

Releasing provisional estimates for the United States as of July 1, 1948, the bureau said 31.1 per cent of California's 10,031,000 had been gained since 1940, when the last official census was taken.

California's increase in that span is estimated at 3,124,000.

Pennsylvania joined the 10,000,000 mark in 1948 and New York cleared it in 1946. For more than a century these two states have been the most populous in the nation.

Total population for the country as of July 1 is estimated to be 146,114,000 as compared with 131,669,275 in 1940. The gain is 11 per cent.

SURPRISE!

Disappointment is in store of the thief who broke into the car of R. McCorquodale, Winnipeg, at the Empress Hotel parking lot Friday night if he doesn't appreciate a good pickle, according to city police. They said the thief stole a suitcase full of dill pickles as well as a $40 camera and a car rug.

WALLET LOST

John Chambers of Seattle reported to police yesterday the loss of his wallet containing $28. He told police he believed it was lost in Chinatown Friday night.

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In the Hunt Again . . .

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Premier Drew Succeeds Mr. Bracken

PREMIER George Drew will take over the mantle of Mr. John Bracken and lead the Progressive Conservative Party of Canada. That was the decision made yesterday by 1,311 delegates to the national convention in Ottawa. The choice was clear cut, Mr. Drew gaining more than twice as many votes on the first ballot as Mr. John Diefenbaker, the brilliant young Saskatchewan M.P. who was his chief contestant for the leadership. Undoubtedly the Dominion-wide reputation of Mr. Drew stood him in good stead. In comparison Mr. Diefenbaker would be little known to many of the delegates present.

Mr. Drew will thus leave the Ontario political field where he has been an outstanding figure for many years, and enter on the larger national scene. He has many native talents to bring to his new post, and a personality that commands attention. For nearly two decades his has been a familiar name in Canada, a contrast incidentally to to that of the man who recently succeeded to the Liberal leadership.

The impact of Mr. Drew is likely to be felt when he takes his seat as Opposition leader in the House of Commons. He has the youth and experience to aid him in reviving the fortunes of the Progressive Conservative Party. It will be his task to unite and invigorate his colleagues that the party he leads will be regarded as offering the only legitimate alternative to the present Government should the electorate desire a change. In that task even his opponents on the Government bench will no doubt wish him well.

Mr. Drew's selection as their leader should provide new opportunities for Progressive Conservatives to regain some of their former glory. He will be a skipper at the helm from whom many be expected the vigor and enterprise that has marked what has so far been a notable career.

Loggers Hoist With Their Own Petard

THE walkout of loggers from some of the Vancouver Island operations in protest against an increase in the rates charged for board in the camps affords a good illustration of the futility of the whole mad race between wages and prices.

Loggers' union officials expostulate that the increase "to a large extent" wipes out the extra pay awarded by arbitration in the recent negotiations between the logging industry and the International Woodworkers of America.

Loggers, however, are not the only industrial group in which wage increases. There have been inflationary changes in all the factors entering into the cost of meals and quarters provided for them. Prices for the food that goes onto the logging table have spiraled since board rates were last raised. Every upward revision of wages under I.W.A. contracts means more pay for cooks, helpers and the host of men needed to keep up the camps where the woodsmen are housed and fed. It cannot be expected that board charges should remain stationary. Whether or not the amount of increase imposed is justified is a matter for discussion between the two parties.

Increased living cost is the crux at arguments in all wage negotiations. Here, then, is one case in which the employer would appear to be in a position to return the argument to the union. The loggers can scarcely demand pay boosts to meet the higher cost of food and shelter and then refuse to pay that added cost.

A Time for the Helping Hand of Charity

THIS week the people of Greater Victoria will be asked to provide the wherewithal for twenty-two welfare organizations to carry on their year-long mission to relieve hardship and suffering and to promote endeavors aimed at keeping the community physically and morally strong.

It would be well for all those in a position to contribute to bear in mind two salient points: That a continuing increase in population has added heavily to the burden of welfare agencies since the last appeal was made; and that inflation has hit them just as hard as it has the private home, seriously increasing the cost of the services they render.

Thus, while larger than last year, the objective of $180,000 for the Community Chest represents no more than the minimum estimated to meet the needs of these twenty-two organizations for the coming year. Any lesser sum would require a regrettable lowering of the scale of assistance they are able to give.

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So, when the canvasser calls, give—and give generously.

Thinking Aloud

". . . of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings."

By EDWARD DELAGE

IT was when I saw a policeman, a postman and a fireman talking animatedly on a street corner that I began to reflect on this business of wearing a uniform. Half the population, it seems, is so panoplied.

Whether this is due to a custom that's older than our history books, or whether it stems from the growth of regimentation in human affairs is a matter of opinion.

There's the vanity angle, too, I suppose. A uniform means a difference. It causes the public eye to be thrown in your direction, even if you are only a pea in the pod when there are half-a-dozen and more of you. How else explain some of the collandish rigs adopted by some groups.

That's not the whole story, of course. It could be argued that a uniform is an inspiration as well as a convenience. Somebody once said that if you put an Irishman in a green jersey he becomes a man inspired. True enough, as witness so conspicuous a group as a young hockey player wearing a Maple Leaf sweater for the first time, a storm trooper in a brown shirt, and a Highlander in his kilt.

When you think of a uniform at all you first think of a sailor, a soldier or an airman, because uniforms are so associated in the mind with the military service. A force that has to act in unison must have a uniform or it loses both its identity and its effectiveness.

GLAMOUR IS LOST

And, as some ladies no doubt could testify, some of the glamour is lost also when the uniform is taken off. Many a wartime household received a shock when its founder was viewed in civvies for the first time.

It's surprising, though, the number of occupations that call for a prescribed form of dress and it's growing all the time. Readily to mind come bussmen, railway conductors, doormen, commissionaires, bellboys, elevator operators, taxi-drivers, butlers, theatre ushers, seamen, clergymen, customs officials—and a host of others. Large sections of industry would be helpless without brass buttons and braided trousers.

Professional athletes are uniformed, and they would look queer indeed if they were not. I feel sure Toronto fans wouldn't have appreciated Syl Apps if he had stepped on the ice in the suit he wears at his office. It's preferable that a soccer player should look like a soccer player and so on.

When it comes to golfers there's a bit of a variety. Only the ultra-plus-fours crowd dress in them, and quite an array of pullovers is permissable even in the best circles.

Even tradesmen, by tradition as much as by necessity, bear a uniformed look when on the job. An example we have the carpenter's apron, the laborer's dungarees, and the painter's overalls. You might stretch a point if necessary and say that clerks in a large office look mighty alike. They don't wear a uniform exactly, but they're circumscribed enough to make it almost appear as though they did.

SUITS ON PARADE

A better example, though, would be a service club luncheon, where the rows of business suits on parade couldn't be more uniform if this type of garb was prescribed.

A woman might go farther and say that all men wear a uniform, the drab, conventional suits, ties and trousers that has them in a stratijacket from which they dare not even occasionally desire to escape. That is, except in Victoria, although the prevalence here of sports coats and flannel trousers is merely a substitute without material difference.

If this be a token of male aversion to being conspicuous, it is also contradictory from the vanity angle as it might seem. Most men affect a conceit that with themselves, one part seeking public attention and the other part shrinking like the proverbial violet.

Putting on a special uniform, however, brings them into another category altogether. That's when the ego gets a legitimate chance to express itself—and how it does it sometimes!

Writing on this topic in The Sunday Chronicle, Robert Lynd puts forward the supposition that everybody should wear the uniform of his calling —not only clergymen and barristers, but butchers, bakers, candlestick makers, artists, jockeys, profiteers, income tax wanglers, commissionaires and peers.

There's an idea for your

Channel Tunnel Plan Revived

By EDUARD DELAGE
(Marine Editor of Le Monde)

PARIS.—Technically, the construction of a tunnel under the English Channel does not offer any major difficulty. No unusual obstacles, such as the hot springs that stopped work on the Simplon and St. Gothard tunnels for months at a time, are found here.

The soil underlying the Channel is a bed of clayey chalk, about 200 feet thick and remarkably homogeneous and impervious to water. Seepage has proved to be negligible. In the research passages a match can be lighted by scratching it on the rock wall.

The only real difficulty is the length, between 36 and 38 miles depending on the location. But it is realized that even this difficulty is not insurmountable when it is recalled that the Simplon is 12 miles and that aqueducts as long as 40 miles have been built successfully. Modern equipment would reduce the difficulty considerably. Let us not forget that Mount Cenis was attacked with picks!

Actually the greatest difficulty lies in the necessity of considering both rail and road traffic. There are two plans, one of which envisions a railway link and the other a submarine motor road. Which of these should be adopted, or should it be both at the same time?

A railway tunnel would be 38 miles long. It would have two parallel passages 17 feet in diameter and 50 feet apart. They would be connected by cross tunnels every 100 yards. A secondary tunnel would ensure drainage of seepage water. It would be due first and would serve to remove the vast quantities of earth, more than 4,000,000 cubic yards for the whole tunnel. This tunnel would run from Marquise, 14 miles south of Calais, to Dover on the English coast.

Richarly divided in two passage, the motor tunnel would be rectilinear rather than round. It would connect Marquise-Cap Gris-Nez with Folkestone, a distance of about 26 miles. The difference between the two routes is explained by the fact that a railway has to meet certain conditions, such as long curves and gentle grades, that do not affect cars. Thus, while one tunnel would leave the continent at a depth of 50 yards, the other would already have attained its maximum depth of 115 yards. It is estimated that the reconstruction of the highway tunnel would require four years.

The cost was estimated in 1930 at 50 million francs and before the war at two or three billion. Recent estimates have mentioned 36 million pounds, 14 billion francs. This would seem to be the minimum at the present value of the franc.

Fortunately the benefits would be considerable, although it is difficult to give a reliable estimate in advance. A figure of two billion francs a year has been suggested, more than 16 per cent of the total cost.

There is no need to mention the economic advantages which would result from this great undertaking. It is equally unnecessary to underline the military advantages of the tunnel that an English officer described as rash in 1936. Moltke, the great German commander in the Franco-Prussian War, said, "We must prevent the construction of this tunnel that would be disastrous to Germany."

Observation Car:

By G. B.

SOME persons view work as the ultimate in punishment, calculating paradise in terms of leisure between two week-ends . . . A New York publisher suggested that newspapers leave entertainment to radio and television stations. That would be all right if the majority of all programs were entertaining . . . Many a squeeze play takes place in a shoe store when a girl tries to squeeze a woman's number eight foot into a size five shoe . . . With the big income from parking meters, it might be said the streets are paved with gold . . . From The Standard, Montreal: "Why does a radio set produced in Canada retail for $298 when a similar model is sold in the United States for $179? Part of the difference is explained by the 2 per cent sales tax, by higher excise taxes, and by the fact that Canadian dealers, because they do a lower volume of business, are allowed a bigger markup. Even with those factors taken into consideration, the difference in price seems too great" . . . From the Seattle Real Estate Board Bulletin: "Washington State is spending more than it is taking in, dipping into general revenue reserves at a rate of about $500,000 per month. The greatest appropriation grab in the state's history will come up at Olympia just four months from now. According to Department of Commerce report for August, the state is at the top of the list with tax collections of $81.30 per capita, not including unemployment compensation. The state collects 58 per cent of the people's income, compared with a national average of 36 per cent."

Teaching the World English by Radio

(From B.B.C. London Letter)

A SUCCESSFUL experiment in the use of radio to teach language is now five years old. "English by Radio" first appeared modestly in the B.B.C.'s European Service on July 4, 1943, as an earnest that the invasion of Europe was near. To-day, however, the programme was that the Allied Forces when they landed would need help and guidance, and it took the form of interviews between an English-speaking soldier and an inhabitant of an occupied country.

These early programs were broadcast under difficulties. There had never been any comparable broadcasts on which to draw for experience, the programs were addressed to an audience of all European nations, and had to be entirely in English, for it was not possible to explain them in a score of languages. Above all they had to be worthwhile, because their audience was risking death and torture by listening to the B.B.C.

Since then "English by Radio" and its sequelae have greatly expanded. Each program is now broadcast to different parts of Europe in turn three or four times a day. Another series goes to the Far East and will soon be extended to Africa and Latin-America, while some programs will be recorded and sent out to other lands and broadcast there. In the European Service there are now advanced as well as elementary lessons.

Apart from programs in English only, specially written lessons with explanations in foreign languages are now broadcast to Albania, Austria, Bulgaria, Czecho-Slovakia, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Holland, Hungary, Italy, Norway, Persia, Poland, Portugal, Rumania, Russia, Spain, Turkey and Yugoslavia (with Slovene and Serbian editions).

"English by Radio" does not claim to replace other methods of teaching the language, but gives listeners a chance to get easily a working knowledge of spoken colloquial English. Certain days of the week are given to different aspects of it, ranging from elementary conversation and practice in pronunciation to advanced reading and talks on dialects.

Perhaps the most popular features are the "Brown Family" in Europe and their counterparts in the Latin-America, the "Baker Family," from whom listeners hear how English is spoken and life lived in a typical middle-class household. These families have been welcomed as personal friends in millions of homes abroad and have proved the effectiveness of radio as a means of increasing international goodwill.

Letters and Excerpts

Letters to the editor on any topic of diversion under interest are welcome. If they are brief, example and fair. No letter will be inserted, in whole or in part, except over the proper signature and address of the writer. Unsolicited correspondence is not acknowledged.

FOOD FOR BRITAIN

Sir,—I have read with interest the letters concerning food for Britain in the recent editions of your newspaper. I am an English school teacher now visiting relatives and would like to give a few facts which I hope will help readers toward a clearer understanding of the situation.

Bad weather served to school children in Britain are not free. They are paid for at a reduced rate by the parents. It is intended the meals shall eventually be free to all, but at present lack of accommodation makes this impossible. In my school barely one-half of the pupils have school meals and about ten children have them free, there being necessitous cases where the income is low due to sickness or other similar cause. This is a primary school of 200 pupils.

Moreover, food is not the only factor in promoting better health. Improved medical services have done much to reduce the mortality rate. For instance, immunization against diphtheria is widely practised among school children.

So the statistics may be correct, strange as it may seem. Nevertheless there are many Britons who, while not being actually sick, still feel their general health and energy would be much improved by a more plentiful supply of satisfying food, and to the many Canadians who so generously send food parcels to Britain I would say: "You do more good than you will ever realize."

JESSIE BAKER.

R.R. 1, Wellington, B.C.

LIFE IN BRITAIN

Sir,—Mr. R. S. Johnson's letter in a recent issue of The Colonist is like the curate's egg—good in parts. But when he tells us that "the standard of living is higher for people as a whole than in prewar days owing to the Socialist administration," it is sheer nonsense. If Mr. Johnson lived in Britain for a few months I think his opinion would change very considerably on this point.

If the Socialist Government were living up to their flowery promises the country would have no need to supply children with meals and milk —the parents would be able to do it.

Undoubtedly England would have made a better showing at the Olympic Games had their diet for years past been more ample and nutritious. Food was never so scanty and so lacking in nourishment as it is today, and in not healthy maintaining, whatever Government statistics are made to say.

Much of this Socialist propaganda has gone over on those who must live under the crippling restrictions and petty annoyances. Those subjected to such regimentation are either roused to a pitch of fury or lapse into a sullen apathy, an "Oh, what's the use!" attitude.

So desperately are the Government in Britain determined to ram through their program of Socialism even if it ruins the country in mind, body and estate, that they have accomplished what years of war failed to do in inducing a feeling of hopeless despair.

(MRS.) L. F. HEYWOOD.

P.O. Box 493, Victoria, B.C.

THE COMMUTER'S PASS

Sir,—Re your correspondent's letter in a recent issue of your paper. That there should be different tolored passes for men and women I consider pure childishness, but one must remember that we have got the pass continued through a hard but victorious fight. Therefore, my opinion is that through we have the two different passes and though the price for them is higher, we should be thankful that we still have them. It is far better to be grateful for what is given us than to kick and have it taken from us altogether.

W. E. PERRY.

1817 Lyall Street, Esquimalt, B.C.

Vanity

Whether men do laugh or weep,
Whether they do wake or sleep,
Whether they die young or old,
Whether they feel hot or cold;
There is underneath the sun
Nothing in true earnest done.

All our pride is but a jest,
None are worst and none are best;
Grief and joy and hope and fear
Play their pageants everywhere:
Vain opinion all doth sway,
And the world is but a play.

Powers above in clouds do sit,
Mocking our poor apish wit,
Then so lamely with such state
Their high glory imitate.
No ill can be felt but pain—
And that happy men disdain.

—(Seventeenth Century Song.)

Courage is the thing. All goes if courage goes.

—J. M. BARRIE.

Fun, Fact and Fiction

A farmer wrote to a Sydney practitioner asking advice on diet. He said he found he got more tired than he should be after a day's work and wondered if it was due to wrong food. He was 5ft½ years old, he added.—Australian News Letter.

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More pay in the city everywhere. In China a day's pay became so big, even in large denomination notes, that workers couldn't carry it home. So much for inflation.

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You can't be polite these days without someone wondering what you want.

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Tail-Tale Shoes—A shoe worn down under the big toe means the wearer is obstinate and ambitious. Shoes which wear under the little toe belong to people who are inclined to be spendthrifts. Men who wear off the soles in the middle are well-balanced and able to be trusted. Creases on the upper leather show perserverance and energy.

—Times Pictorial

Today's Answer

Question on Page 7

Canada's oldest territorial police force, the British Columbia Police Force was established in 1858, the year of creation of the Crown Colony of British Columbia. One of the first edicts of the first commissioner was a solemn warning: "Henceforth pistol toting is strictly forbidden."

Victoria in Beard and Crinoline

From Files of The Daily British Colonist for October, 1861

By G. E. MORTIMORE

EIGHTY-SEVEN years ago yesterday Victoria held its first agricultural show.

Bearded farmers, long since laid at rest, had their day of glory then. Driving cattle and trundling along in carts with loads of grain and vegetables, they came to show the people the harvest of their quiet labor.

Said The Daily British Colonist:

"Agricultural Exhibition and Horticultural Society. The first annual exhibition of this society, held yesterday in the Victoria Market enclosure, met with a decided and brilliant success, both in the numbers of persons who attended . . . and evinced the . . . interest which is felt by all classes in the prosperity of the agriculturalists, and the development of our various resources of this island, and the general satisfaction which the admirable arrangements afforded the visitors and exhibitors.

"A great many ladies and their families graced the show with their presence, which fact, in addition to the bright sunlight and soft, balmy state of the atmosphere, contributed much to the day's enjoyment."

Evidence of the frugal and self-sufficient nature of the farm economy of the day was this statement: "An auction of animals and other produce, which was advertised . . . did not take place, owing to the very few persons having attained on exhibition, who desired to part with them."

"The Hudson's Bay Company had some fine boars and pigs from fine English stock on exhibition, which took prizes. Mr. John Work, Jr., two sows and two litters of pigs six weeks old; also two sows rolling in fat. Mr. Thos. Harris exhibited three barrows, each about two years old, that were so fat as to be scarcely able to move, and would dress from 800 to 400 pounds each . . .

"Dr. Tolmie showed a dozen or so of large-sized hen's eggs, which took the first prize . . .

"The vegetable and fruit stands fairly groaned beneath the weight of mammoth pumpkins, cabbages, parsnips, potatoes, turnips, apples, pears, etc. Salt Spring Island was represented by a number of mammoth turnips, the size and solidity of which spoke well for the productive soil of that neighborhood."

The Colonist editorially noted the grain on show and observed that Vancouver Island might well supply all the bread requirements. The paper expressed disappointment that entries in the show came mostly from "settlers" — those who arrived since 1858.

Berliners More Interested in Exchange Than Food

This excellent elevation shot of Kurfurstendamm, shows restaurants, situated outdoor (right) practically empty while crowds are money exchange building (no left) where West and East marks are exchanged. Grim reminder of Allied air bombardment of German capital is still visible in picture. Russia was blasted by British Foreign Secretary Bevin for blockade of German capital and United States, Britain and France formerly broke off negotiations with U.S.S.R. and accused her as violator of U.N. charter before United Nations Security Council.

Truman Closes Arduous Tour; Dewey Defends 80th Congress

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2 (AP). — President Truman arrived home today for a four-day intermission in the election campaign he called "a real crusade" in which "I've just begun to fight."

He returned to the White House for an anticipated brushing up on a tense international situation before setting out again next Wednesday in quest of votes in the presidential election just a month away.

If he was fatigued from a driving 8,300-mile swing to the Pacific Coast and back, he did not show it as he stepped from his special train at Union Station.

He thanked the crowd which had gathered in front of the station to greet him and, standing in an open White House car, told them:

REAL CRUSADE

"The people are beginning to wake up to the fact that this is a real crusade. It's the people against the special interests. I'm not going to pull any punches. I've just begun to fight."

The President told his audience at the station he had made 140 speeches on the trip just ended and had seen from 2,000,000 to 5,000,000 people. The latter estimate he said, is "more likely correct."

His next trip will not be so long or arduous. He plans to leave Wednesday morning for a four-day swing through Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Upstate New York, the home ground of his Republican opponent, Governor Thomas E. Dewey.

EN ROUTE EAST WITH DEWEY

Oct. 2 (AP).—Gov. Thomas E. Dewey promised today that if he is elected President he will set up an administration "which won't go around the country blackguarding" Congress.

Headed for President Truman's home state of Missouri, the Republican nominee defended the record of the Republican-controlled 80th Congress in Kansas platform talks from his campaign train.

The New York Governor's defense of the lawmakers was regarded as a reply to Mr. Truman's address in Charleston, W. Va., last night.

"There Mr. Truman said that to elect Dewey would be to "achieve unity in a headlong dash, toward another depression."

STRESSES TEAMWORK

"Traveling back to Albany, N.Y., after an 8,300-mile tour of the Far West, Dewey kept hammering away at the same idea he has been stressing across the country: "A Government of Teamwork," a new "Sense of Conspiracy," an "Essential Unity of the American people." He stated that it is "essential that we do not come to a day when the American farmers produce themselves into poverty."

Child Admits Theft Of Cars in Brandon

BRANDON, Man., Oct. 2 (CP). — An epidemic of car thefts here was solved last night when a nine-year-old boy confessed to three thefts and two attempted thefts in two days.

He said a six-year-old accomplice assisted him in two of the thefts.

The boy told police he had broken into five cars altogether, driving three of them away but abandoning them when engine trouble developed. All cars were recovered.

Police did not say what steps would be taken against the children.

Deer Hunter Shot in East

HALIFAX, Oct. 2 (CP).—An inquest into the fatal shooting of Kenneth Derring, 46-year-old New York sportsman, during a hunting accident 70 miles north of here, was adjourned indefinitely tonight.

Derring, former president of the New York Fish and Game Association and one of the strongest advocates of safety in the woods, was shot at Upper Stewacke by Benjamin Weir of Stellarville, N.Y. Weir, also on a hunting trip, fired from 400 yards after seeing a movement in the bushes and found Derring dying from a bullet in the chest. Derring died before medical attention could be given.

Denies Canada Clearing House

NEW YORK, Oct. 2 (CP). — The World-Telegram said today in a dispatch from Washington that Canada was a clearing House for atom bomb spying in the United States.

The newspaper quoted Benjamin Mandel, research director of the House of Representatives Un-American Activities Committee, as saying the Russia spy ring exposed in Canada in 1946 was only a "small laboratory experiment" compared with the Soviet spy network created in the United States to get the atom bomb.

In Ottawa, Canadian officials tree ed with extreme skepticism the reports that Russian spies elsewhere in the Western Hemisphere had channeled many of the reports to Moscow through the Canadian capital.

"There was no evidence of that at all during the Canadian investigation," declared an official.

LIVERPOOL, England (CP).—Mrs. Ann Blasco, who died last year at 99 years of age, left £500,000 ($2,000,000) to Hersey, one of the Channel Islands. The money is for scholarships, nursing homes and elderly persons.

Set Convention For Nominations

KELOWNA, B.C., Oct. 2 (CP).—A nominating convention to name a Coalition candidate for the Provincial South Okanagan seat will be held here October 7.

Hon. Herbert Anscomb, British Columbia Finance Minister, will be one of the principal speakers.

Bruce Woodworth, president of the C.C.F., is the only entry to date.

LINCOLN, England (CP). — Thirty poisoning cases caused by impure cream from a Lincoln dairy co-operative have been blamed on mice.

I.W.A. Group Denied Entry For Convention

SEATTLE, Oct. 2 (AP). — District Immigration Director Raphael Bonham today confirmed a Vancouver report that a group of British Columbia lumber union members have been denied entry to the United States to attend an international union convention.

A report from Vancouver said 26 members of the International Woodworkers of America (C.I.O.) and seven women's auxiliary members had been denied entry for the October 11 convention at Portland.

Bonham said the rejections were on the ground that their entry was not considered "to the best interest of the United States."

Bonham said the rejections are made by the Immigration Service station to which application is made and the rulings are then referred to the Immigration Department.

Texans Slight Indian Girl

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz. Oct. 2 (AP).—Florence Tso Begay, 17, a Navajo Indian, said today she will make another attempt to reach New York and Sarah Lawrence College, where she has a $2,000 scholarship.

But this time she will go "way around Texas," she said.

Miss Begay, who is planning to become a doctor that she may serve among her people, returned to her home here today after a week of "Jim Crow" bus.

When her Greyhound bus reached Amarillo, Texas, Miss Begay said, she was ordered to sit in the rear section, reserved for non-white. Rather than make a fuss, she complied with the order. When the bus reached Oklahoma City, however, the girl recalled today:

"I felt so discouraged I didn't feel like going any further."

So she left the bus there and returned on another to her home and parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Begay, here.

13 Arrested As Plot Foiled

PRAGUE, Oct. 2 (AP).—A plot to assassinate Premier Antonin Zapotocky has been uncovered with the arrest of 13 persons near Brumm, the Czecho-Slovak press bureau said tonight.

The group was charged with helping people get out of the country and with publishing anti-Government pamphlets.

DIFFER ON DATE

The Russian day begins at sunset, and the Balinese day at sunrise.

Claim U.S. Could Win War In One to Three-Month Blitz

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2 (AP). — A couple of air strategists, speaking for themselves, believe the United States could win a war now in from one to three months. They envision the "super blitz" of atomic bombs dropped by only a small force of planes.

They claim that "sustained bombing"—the entire program by which thousands of bombers pounding at enemy homeland for months or years—ended with the World War and the advent of the atomic bomb.

NOT AIR FORCE VIEWS

These views are set forth in separate articles in the new edition of the "Air University Quarterly Review" by Col. Frederick L. Morris and Col. Dale O. Smith, both of the United States Air Force. The publication is put out by the U.S.A.F.'s air university at Maxwell base. Also it takes pains to point out that articles carried by it "do not necessarily coincide with, nor are they officially those" of the air force.

This seems to be applicable to the two articles. Indeed, Smith had some critical words for air force policy. He commends that "these misconceptions (about sustained bombing) are based upon and fostered by the air force belief that bombing must be conducted month after month, year after year, for an indefinite period, until an enemy is pounded into submission."

At another point he pleads "let us not be bound down by orthodoxy. Many seen things this war.

"With the use of atomic weapons the mass bombing raids of the World War must be a thing of the past. Whatever the size of future bomber formations carrying atomic bombs, they will never equal the size or frequency of strategic bombardment raids as we have known them.

FAST BOMBERS

"Future formations carrying atomic bombs might well contain about 16 aircraft. We can expect such aircraft to be extremely fast. Speeds up to 400-500 miles an hour should be obtainable for short intervals, with cruising speeds of 300-350 miles an hour.

"Bomber raids will be concentrated over a relatively short period of time, perhaps no more than three months, at which time the war will have been decided one way or the other."

Smith, who has held various posts in the air force including chief of the bombardment requirements section at headquarters here, currently is studying at Stanford University, Calif.

Morris, whose tours of duty have included one as assistant chief of operations for fighter control and aircraft warning communications, is a graduate of the air command staff school.

Magnate Held "Minor Nazi"

KOENIGSTEIN, Germany, Oct. 2 (AP).—Fritz Thyssen, former Ruhr steel magnate, was convicted today as a "minor Nazi" by a German denazification court.

The defendant, 73 was ordered to turn in per cent of his "available property in Germany" into a restitution fund for victims of Nazi persecution.

Tax Collector Aids Citizen With Booklet

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2 (AP).—For the first time in history, the United States tax collector is going to tell Americans how to cut their payments to the bone—and in plain language, too.

About next January 1 52,000,000 taxpayers will receive a brand new pamphlet—"Helpful Information on How to Prepare Your U.S. Income Tax Return."

Unlike the old four-page "instruction" sheet—which stressed what taxpayers could not do—the new 16-pager tells what can be done legally to make tax-paying as easy as possible.

Though four times the size of the old tax guide, the new booklet contains less than twice the number of words and those are in larger print for easier reading. It also has a table of contents for quick reference to any problem.

WARM WELCOME

"We have attempted in this pamphlet to tell the taxpayer the things he wants to know in language he understands," said George J. Schoeneman, internal revenue commissioner. He expects it to be "warmly welcomed," he added.

The new guide gives a list of examples like this one

"You CAN deduct cost of:

"Safety equipment, dues to union or professional societies.

"Tools and supplies.

"Fees to employment agencies.

"Entertaining customers.

"You CANNOT deduct cost of:

"Travel to and from work;

"Educational expenses.

"Nursemaids, even if she enables parent to work.

"Entertaining friends;

"Bribes and illegal payments."

...Oddities...

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 2 (AP).—After Missouri lawyers got through talking about Federal taxes, they found the tax collector had the last word.

They go to a one-day tax institute, the lawyers paid $6 each to attend the refresher session, sponsored by the Missouri Bar. Then the Federal tax man came around to collect the 20-per-cent admittance tax.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 2 (AP). — Charity backfired yesterday for Floyd Lewis, 40-year-old lumber trucker. He cut $70 a thousand feet from the price of a load of lumber when he learned Rev. E. F. Qualls, a prospective buyer, wanted it for building a home for the aged.

Soon after unloading the lumber Lewis was arrested for selling without a city license. He was fined $100 and costs.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 2 (AP).—It cost Joseph Lainer, 26, $10 to get engaged.

Accused of impeding traffic by kissing his girl while motoring at ten miles an hour on a busy boulevard, he told the judge:

"Your Honor, we'd just become engaged that very moment and we were smiling it with a kiss."

"Dangerous," retorted the judge. "Ten dollars."

HIGH POINT, N.C., Oct. 2 (AP). —The draft board have received an unanswered questionnaire yesterday. Across the top of the page, however, was written:

"I'm ready when you are."

Another "THOR" WASHER $15.00 DOWN
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Count the Hairs on Your Head ... and Divide by 10

Neglect of your scalp can lead to severe hair loss

The ordinary healthy head of hair, for the average person, contains about 120,000 hairs. Blondes have the greatest number, about 140,000. Some redheads have as few as 90,000.

To keep your hair abundant and good-looking, you must have a healthy scalp. If it is too oily, or too dry, or clogged with dandruff, you can look for trouble. Neglect can lead to your hair thinning out so that instead of 120,000 hairs, you may end up with only a fourth as many — or even less!

Just as it pays to clean your teeth when young in order to keep them, so it pays to take care of your scalp right now to save your hair. Whether or not you have dandruff, your scalp will benefit from regular cleansing with Fitch Dandruff Remover-Shampoo. Use Fitch, the one shampoo guaranteed to remove dandruff.

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Finance—Commerce—Markets

Cattle Prices Drop

OTTAWA, Oct. 2 (CP).—Cattle prices were $1 to $2 lower this week due to depressed United States markets and lack of sufficient stock cars to handle the heavy deliveries, according to the Dominion Agriculture Department's livestock review.

At Toronto, weighty steers went at $24 to $26, and butcher steers, $21, while the bulk of the sales were comfortably below those figures.

Montreal buyers paid $2 to $3 less with a load of good steers taken at $23, others from $20 down, and good cows, $15 to $16.

At Western market centres buying on United States account was large, but a temporary shortage of stock cars slowed up trading. All classes at Winnipeg shared in the decline, with an odd load of the better steers making $23 to $24, but most sales from $20 down. Calgary closed 50 cents to $1 lower, with good to choice steers quoted at $19 to $22. At Edmonton the stock car shortage resulted in an accumulation of cattle already sold but which could not be moved south. Bids of the steers at Edmonton were $20 to $21. Prince Albert paid up to $22, Moose Jaw, $21; Saskatoon, $22, Regina, $21; and Vancouver, $20 to $24.

CATTLE EXPORTS HIGH

Exports of slaughter and feeding cattle to the United States during week ended September 30, 487 head. This placed the total since August 18 at 102,814 head. Shipments of dairy-cattle and jaybreds during the week amounted to 2,087, making the total to date this year 80,481. Calf exports this week were 2,620, and since August 16 total 14,343. Exports of sheep and lambs for the week were 1,153, placing the total since removal of restrictions on August 9 at 10,206.

There were no appreciable changes in calf prices, but the tendency was in the higher levels, particularly at Montreal. Toronto paid $27 to $28 for best veals, Montreal, $25; Winnipeg, $19; Calgary, $20; Edmonton, $22; Prince Albert, up to $20; Moose Jaw, $18 to $20; Saskatoon, up to $21; Regina, $20, and Vancouver, $18 to $20. Only small changes occurred in hog prices.

Price changes were not sharp in the lamb market, but the general tendency was in a downward direction. Toronto was off 50 cents at $21.50 for best lambs; Montreal, lower to $20; Winnipeg, about steady up to $20; Calgary, $18.50 to $19; Edmonton, $18 to $19; Prince Albert, $19; Moose Jaw, $18.50, and Regina, $20.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Oct. 2 (AP).—Stocks continued their moderate gains today in a quiet market, the first two-hour Saturday sessions since the Summer holidays.

For the second week the losses in a Monday break were re-captured in the following four days, and the market today stands on a level with two weeks ago.

In both weeks the market went down on Mondays and Thursdays and up on the other days. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks stood at 67.3 two weeks ago, Friday One week later it was at 67.5, and yesterday it ended the week at exactly the same point, 67.3, a net loss of .3 of a point in two weeks.

Today the market got back that 3 of a point, and closed at 67.6.

This second week was notable because it confirmed the rally started Friday. Right from the start the oils were higher by fractions to around a point, and the steels, rails and motors soon joined them with similar gains.

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Twenty industrials, 180.79, up .51.
Twenty rails, 59.30, up .26.
Fifteen utilities, 34.82, up .14.
Sixty-five stocks, 67.45, up .33.
Total sales, 339,000.

(Jan. 4 Number, Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	181
American Can	105
American Tel. & Tel.	161
American Tob. "B"	113
Anaconda Copper	35½
Atchison T. & S.F.	75
B. & O. Railway	31
Bethlehem Steel	38
C.P.R.	15
C. & O. Railway	31
Chrysler	95
Gen. Elect.	32
Gen. & Goodyear	44
Gen. Motors	54
Goodrich, B.F.	35
Int. Nickel	35
Int. Harvester	40
Kennecott	42
Johns-Manville	44
Kennecott Copper	30
Loew's Inc.	10
Montgomery Ward	41
New York Central	16
Northern Pacific	19
Penney, J. C.	55
Pennsylvania R.R.	15
Penn. Railway	27
Phillips Petr.	34
Procter & Gamble	34
Radio	9
Republic Steel	25
Sears, Roebuck	35
Shell Oil	25
Standard Oil, N.J.	67
Swift & Co.	25
Socony Oil	18
Texas Co.	42
Southern Pacific	30
Sou. Oil Refines	37
Standard Brands	5
Texas Corp.	42
Union Carbide	53
Union Pacific	42
United Aircraft	32
U.S. Steel	38
Westinghouse Electric	34
Woolworth	35

Vancouver Stocks

(Courtesy B.C. Securities, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS		
Anglo-Canadian	4.65	4.70
A.P. Con.	.30	.34
British Dominion	2.00	2.05
Canada Oils	.09	.10
Calmont	.08	.09
Central Petro.	.61	.65
Commonwealth	.03	.05
Canadian Export	.02	.03
Dalhousie	.03	.05
East Crest	.08	.10
Fawn	.05	.07
Home Oil	.32	.35
Herald	.09	.10
Hollywood Bevera	.03	.05
Leduc	.55	.60
Lake West	.03	.05
Mercury	.11	.13
National Petro.	1.50	1.55
Pacific Petro.	1.02	1.05
Oasis	1.04	1.08
Pacific Petd.	.12	.14
Royal Canadian	.07	.09
Rainier	.30	.35
Security	.03	.05
Superior	.25	.30
MINES		
Bayonne Cons.	.16½	.18
Bralorne	5.00	5.05
Bridge River Con.	.65	.69
B.R.X. (1935)	.02	.03
Cariboo Gold Q.	.12	.14
Central Gold	.12	.14
Congress	.03	.05
Copper Chief	.03	.05
Cordestake	.09	.10
Crest Wildcat	.03	.05
Dentler Mason	.03	.05
Dominion Chief	.16	.18
Island Mountain	.03	.05
Mitchell	.03	.05
Pacific Nickel	.02	.03
Pend Oreille	.03	.05
Premier Gold	2.25	2.40
Prospector	.03	.05
Quesnel	.03	.05
Quatsino Copper	.07½	
Reeves McDonald	3.00	3.05
Rose Gold	.03	.05
Sheep Creek	1.18	1.20
Silver Cup	.15	.17
Silver Strike	.03	.05
Tonbo	.03	.05
Wellington	.03	.05
INDUSTRIALS		
B.C. Power Pref.		
Bulmer, Martin	7.00	
Canada Vinegars	3.00	3.25
Capital Estates	2.00	2.50
Coast Breweries	1.00	1.05
D. R. MacMillan "A"	64.00	65.00
Pacific Mills		20.00
Westminster Paper		

UNLISTED SECTION

MINES	Bid	Asked
Big Pete Silver	.05	.07
Chesnee	.03	.05
Cariboo	.03½	
Central Patricia	.24	.27
Cursor "A"	.07	
Dominion Chief	.16	.18
Hedley Mascot	.03	.05
Hedley Yankee	.01	.03
Home Gold	.03	.05
Indian	.03	.05
Lucky Jim	.16	.17
Oregon	.03½	
Pan	.05	.06
Royal Arabian	.03	.05
Reed Valley	.03	.05
Taylor Wardhill	.03	.05
Whitewater	.03	.05
OILS		
Alberta	.04½	.05
Bailey	.04½	
Guthrie	.04	.05
Coastal	.15	.18
Commonwealth	.03	.05
Crescent	.16	.18
Dracklin	.14	
Fort Leduc		.05
Leduc	.09½	
Madison	.03	.05
Mid-Crest	.03	.05
New Statesman	.07½	
Pacific Petr.	.96	.98½
Sandy Bayou	.03	.05
Southern Petr.	.07½	.08
Texas Valley	.03	.05
United	.11	.13

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Grade "A" medium	.45
Grade "B"	.39
Pullets	.39

Load 91,402 Cars

OTTAWA, Oct 2 (CP).—Car loadings for the week ended September 25 continued the upward trend to establish a new peak for the year at 91,402 cars, compared with 90,852 in the preceding week, and 83,583 in the same week of 1947.

Large increases were noted in livestock, up to 3,278 from 1,726 over last year's loadings; coal, up 1,612 cars, and pulpwood from 2,542 to 3,940 cars.

Adjust Prices

DETROIT, Oct. 2 (CP).—The Ford Motor Company announced a price decrease of $15 on Ford Club coupes, and a $10 increase in the price of Tudor sedans, J. R. Davis, vice-president, said the adjustment in prices is effective immediately and applies to all of the standard and custom models. Prices of other models remain unchanged.

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Oct. 2 (CP).—Securities on the Montreal Stock Exchange today were mainly firmer in a narrow range. Oils were generally steady after yesterday's sudden upward movement. Mines were slightly easier in a dull list. Trading in both industrials and mines was quiet at approximately 11,800 shares and 34,100 shares, respectively.

Papers were stronger in a dull group. B.C. Forest and Consolidated Paper advanced the minimum fraction each. Metals and beverages were also on the upswing.

(Courtesy Stillerman & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Cob. Invest. Fund		
Can. Bank of Commerce	25½	26½
Can. Bread "A"		
Bank of Montreal	26½	27½
Bank of Nova Scotia	30	
Can. Vickers	19	20
Bank of Toronto	31	
Allied Bread	10½	11½
Anglo. Pulp	4½	5½
Anglo. Amer.	8½	9½
Atlantic Sugar	8	8½
Acadia Univ.	90	95
Aluminum, Pfd.	15	16
Aluminum, Ltd.	32½	33½
Bell Telephone	34½	35½
Bell Telephone	34½	35½
Bank of Canada	18½	19½
B.C. Power Pref.	3½	3½
B.C. Power "A"	3½	3½
Brewing Corp.	14½	15½
Brewers & Dist.	16½	17½
Bruck Mills "A"	8½	9½
Bruck Mills "B"	8½	9½
Can. Cement Pfd.	30	31
Can. Cement	31½	32½
Can & Dom Sugar	21½	22½
Can. Canners	19½	20½
Can. Breweries	12½	13½
Can. Steamships, Com.		
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	34	35
Can. Celanese	27½	28½
Can. Bread, Com.	10½	11½
Can Car & Foundry, Com.	4	5
Can. Oil Pref.	104	105
Can. Dredging & Dock	15½	16½
Can. Indus. Alcohol	13½	14½
Can. Breweries	12½	13½
Can. Canners	19½	20½
Can. Vickers, Com.	19	20
Can. Wire & Cable	13½	14½
Cream. Acme	13½	14½
Consolidated Paper	16½	17½
Consol. Mining & Smelting	84	85
Distillers-Seagrams	34½	35½
Dom. Stores	13½	14½
Dom. Tar & Chem.	23½	24½
Dom. Textile	89½	90½
Donnacona Paper	24½	25½
Dominion Foundry	34½	35½
Foley Paper	14½	15½
Fraser Cos.	34½	35½
Famous Players	18½	19½
Famous Players	18½	19½
Fairchild Pfd.	98	99½
Fairchild Com. "A"	17½	18½
Foundation Co.	33½	34½
Gatineau Power	30½	31½
Gatineau Power	30½	31½
Hamilton Bridge	27½	28½
Hamilton Bridge	27½	28½
Hiram Walker	44½	45½
Imperial Oil	34½	35½
Imperial Tobacco	13½	14½
Int. Nickel	34½	35½
Int. Power	13½	14½
Int. Paper	59½	60½
Int. Paper "B"	57½	58½
Int. Paper "A"	59½	60½
Laura Secord	11½	12½
Lake of Woods	44½	45½
Lambton Water M.	11½	12½
Loblaws "A"	31½	32½
Loblaws "B"	31½	32½
Massey-Harris Pfd.	34½	35½
Massey-Harris-Perkins, Com.	14½	15½
Montreal "A"	14½	15½
Montreal "B"	14½	15½

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Oct. 2 (CP).—Hedging sales were more liberal in both oats and barley on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today and demand was not as aggressive as of late.

There was some United States buying in oats and shipper demand in oats and barley.

Rye showed a firm tone as hedging pressure was light and some American and commission house buying came in. There were only a few trades in flax—at the same levels.

The United Kingdom was allocated 380,000 bushels of wheat.

Prices of class two wheat — for export to countries other than the United Kingdom — remained unchanged.

(Jan. 4 Number, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oats—				
Oct.	107½	108½	107	108½
Dec.	103½	104½	103½	104½
May	106	106	105½	105½
Barley—				
Oct.	187½	188½	187½	187½
Dec.	187½	188½	187½	188½
May	187½	187½	186½	186½
Flaxseed—				
Oct.	374½	378½	374½	377½
Dec.	374½	378½	374½	377½
May	374½	378½	374½	377½

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Oats—	
No. 2 C.W.	79½
Track	79½
Barley—	
No. 3 C.W.	118½
Track	118½
Rye—	
No. 2 C.W.	148½
Track	148½

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Oct. 2 (AP).—Traders were inclined to even up in today's session as the end of the week drew near. There was little buying incentive in any quarter.

As trading developed after an easy opening, May corn was under some selling pressure and the premium over December corn was narrowed.

In wheat there was some commercial demand, but generally the broad cereal followed the action of corn. Traders in oats mostly marked time.

(Jan. 4 Number, Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Oct.	224½	227½	224½	224½
May	220½	223½	219½	219½
July	209½	211	208½	208½
Corn—				
Oct.	157½	158	157½	157½
May	149½	151½	149½	150½
July	151½	152	150½	150½
Oats—				
Oct.	79½	79½	78½	78½
May	76	76½	75½	75½

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B.C. Oil	4½	5½
B.C. Pow "A"	32½	33½
Blue Ridge	4½	5½
Calgary Pow	94½	
C.P.R. 4%		97
Can. Bread	10	11
Can Cottons (11.75)		105
Can. Vickers	19	20
C. W. Gas (100 Par)	13½	14½
Dom. Malting	66½	68½
Dominion		19
Provincial	18	19
Famous Pl.	17½	18½
G.B. Wares	3	10½
Howard Smith (100 Par)	97	98
Int. Paper (15.50)	59½	60½
Int. Utilities (11.50)	13½	14½
Okanagan Tel.	18	19
Power Corp	34½	35½
Prairie Pow	16½	18½
Provincial Chem.	4½	5½
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Principals to Figure in T.L.C. Convention in Victoria

PERCY BENGOUGH

FRANK HALL

PERCY RAYMENT

GEORGE WILKINSON

More than 600 delegates are expected to attend annual convention of Trades and Labor Congress to be held in Victoria next week, beginning October 11. Feature of convention is expected to be verbal wrangle over opposition to Canadian Seamen's Union in ranks of T.L.C. and suspension of Brotherhood of Railway and Steamships Clerks from Congress. Shown above are Percy Bengough, president of the T.L.C., who has backed C.S.U.; Frank Hall, vice-president of Railway and Steamship Clerks, who has opposed C.S.U.; Percy Rayment, president of Victoria branch of Congress, and George Wilkinson, secretary, both of whom have made preparations to ensure success of convention.

See Wide-Open Fight Against Communists At Trades and Labor Congress Convention

The annual convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, to open in Victoria, October 11, may be the scene of a wide-open fight against Communists in the ranks of the 376,000-man body.

First mumblings of a coming battle were heard early last month when high officers of 22 International unions in the Congress set up a committee to get rid of the Communists. Leaders of these unions, estimated at having a massed strength of between 150,000 and 175,000 members, pledged themselves also to bar from office in the Congress anyone who "plays ball" with Communism.

The move was aimed at the present policy of the Congress executive which backed the Canadian Seamen's Union — allegedly dominated by Reds — in recent labor strife on the Great Lakes. It came only a day after the Canadian Lake Seamen's Union, rival of the C.S.U. was taken into the powerful A.F.L. affiliated Seafarers' International Union.

FORCED TO ACT

The Congress was seemingly forced into the position of having to choose between the C.S.U. and a rival organization backed by its own ally, the American Federation of Labor.

The choice may have to be met in the sessions of the coming annual convention in order to weld factions split by the issue.

The man behind the merger of the C.L.S.U. and the S.U. and the meeting of insurgent union officials was Frank Hall, vice-president of the Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks.

Today Hall is being touted as "labor's new strong man." Hall was chairman of the negotiating committee of 16 railroad brotherhoods who succeeded in getting a 17-cents-an-hour wage increase for 170,000 workers when he threatened to call them out on strike last July.

Hall has been described as a crusader intent on ousting Red elements from the T.L.C.

Following his action in assisting the merger of the C.L.S.U. and the S.U., his own Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks was suspended from the T.L.C.

BENGOUGH OPPONENT

Hall's opponent is Percy Bengough, president of the T.L.C., who reputedly brought the backing of the Congress to the C.S.U. Early in September rumour swept through labor ranks that Hall would seek the presidency of the Congress. The rumors were subsequently denied by Hall. His salary as vice-president of the railway brotherhood, in the neighborhood of $12,000, is almost double that of the Congress chief.

Bengough has stated he doesn't take the insurgent committee "very seriously," declaring its members were "mesmerizing" themselves into delusions about their own importance. He has evidenced doubt the approaching convention would banish the C.S.U. in favor of the Seafarers' International Union.

Some labor observers call Hall's manoeuvre "premature." At the same time they describe Bengough as being an impartial judge of the C.S.U. and its reputed Red domination. They claim the issue should not have been broached until the annual convention of the Congress opened, when it could have been dealt with in a more peaceable manner. There is a growing fear that the Communist element has been "tipped off" and will make an effort to send among delegates to the convention to rule it by majority.

DELEGATES JUMP

Now it is reported considerably more than the 600 delegates originally expected are to arrive. Some will reach the city next week.

J. W. Buckley, secretary of the Congress, is scheduled to reach Victoria Monday to make final arrangements for the convention which will open the following Monday in the Club Siroonn Hall. Mr. Buckley is expected to bring with him a list of the delegates to follow.

Some of the seven committees, including the seven-man credentials and the eight-man resolutions committees, will begin functioning next week. Remaining committees, including the five-man rules and order committee, nine-man officers' reports committee, eight-man constitution and law committee, eight-man legislative activities committee and the six-man ways and means, may not get started until the convention gets under way.

If the "insurgent" officers receive the backing of the general membership of their unions, which are called, for the most part, actively anti-Communist, the turbulent C.S.U. may be removed from the T.L.C. Another conceivable development could be the defeat of Mr. Bengough and other executive members who supported the C.S.U. in the lake shipping strike. Has a Communist majority in the convention could cause a split within the Congress itself and divorce the T.L.C. from the A.F.L.

Two Artists Open Series Of Recitals

More than 200 listened as Miss Joan Miller of Victoria and Miss Dorothy Murray of Vancouver presented a pleasing joint piano-violin recital in Victoria High School Auditorium Friday night.

The recital was the first of a series to be given by the two young artists throughout Western Canada, sponsored by the Canadian Federation of Music Teachers' Associations.

To start the program, blonde Miss Miller and dark haired Miss Murray, both dressed in white evening gowns, combined to present Schubert's Sonata in G Minor, Op. 137, No. 3.

Miss Murray followed on the violin with First Movement, Symphonia Espagnole, by Lalo, and Sarasate's Caprice Basque. She later played Chopin's Nocturne in D and Paganini's La Campanella.

Miss Miller's piano selections were Beethoven's Sonata in C-Minor, op 13, Chopin's Etude in C-Minor, op. 10, No. 12; "A Sea Idyll" by Frank Bridge, and Liszt's "Polonaise" in E-Major.

Miss Miller, a pupil of Stanley Shale, was already well known in Victoria. Miss Murray, a pupil of Gregori Garbovitsky, has appeared in Vancouver Symphony concerts.

Last night's recital was under the auspices of the Victoria Branch of the British Columbia Registered Music Teachers' Association.

Rail Expenses Show Increase

OTTAWA, Oct. 2 (CP). — Railway revenues and operating expenses both reached all-time highs during July, leaving the latter with a net operating deficit of $4,500,683, the Bureau of Statistics reported.

Revenues climbed to $73,971,900, the highest they have ever been, and well above the $68,242,122 reached in July, 1947. Operating expenses, including $10,300,000 retroactive pay as a result of the wage award during the Summer, soared still more sharply. They reached $78,472,583, compared with $70,307,571 in June, and $68,104,484 in July, 1947.

In place of the net deficit for the railways shown last July, they had a net operating credit of $10,137,868 in the corresponding month last year.

With the addition of tax accruals, hire of equipment and joint facility rents, the railway's deficit on operating income reached $7,016,397 in July. The comparable figure for 1947 was a credit of $6,028,194.

Suppression Crews, Weather Keep Forest Fires at Low Ebb

Four forest fires still were burning when British Columbia's forest fire season formally ended last Thursday.

Since the season opened last May 1, a total of 803 forest fires were recorded by the B.C. Forest Service and the cost of fighting them totaled $39,817.

Officials of the service declared yesterday the 1948 season was less costly to the Government than any previous season in at least the past 20 years.

In 1947 a total of 1,290 fires were recorded and the cost to the Government of fighting them was $97,646. This compared with 1,651 fires in 1946 which cost $149,054.

Despite weather conditions which played a big part in reducing the number of fires and the resulting losses, the forest service claimed credit through improvement of its fire-fighting and fire-spotting services.

Biggest innovation since the end of the World War has been the inauguration of suppression crews, designed to reach forest fire outbreaks with lightning speed. These crews now are an important factor in keeping forest fire losses down.

Greatest district forest fire fighting bill was recorded in the Port George area, where 169 fires cost the Government $36,191 to extinguish. Greatest number of fires occurred in the Vancouver forest district, which includes Vancouver Island. Throughout the season 302 fires were recorded in this district.

Bill for fire-fighting in the Vancouver district was only $2,931. In 1947 the 372 outbreaks in the same district cost the Government a total of $8,002.

Statistics for 1947 on the three other districts are: Prince Rupert, 56 fires costing $1,438; Kamloops, 187 fires costing $5,800, and Nelson 189 fires costing $3,652.

There were no major forest fire fires because of fire hazards during the past season.

Bad Season Baffling To Hunters

ALBERNI, Oct. 2.—Game Warden R. Lawley is at a loss to explain the poor deer hunting in the district this season.

Surveys conducted early in the Summer showed plenty of game. A party looking over territory that is usually a favorite hunting ground said that in one evening about two weeks before the season started 25 deer were seen, all barks. When the country was again surveyed early in the month only three were seen, all does.

According to information given at the Government offices, more licences were taken out than in any previous year. Many of the inexperienced hunters came home with empty bags the first week-end. They gave as the reason low ceilings caused by slash fires and dry weather.

Comparatively few bucks have been brought in to date. Blue grouse shooting has been fairly good.

Ice cream was invented in Italy in the 14th century.

Hand Weavers To Hold Exhibit

Victoria Hand Weavers' Guild will hold an exhibit in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Company October 27, 28 and 29, it was decided at the first regular Fall meeting of the guild. Twenty-two members were present, and Mrs. Elsie Cook vice-president, was in the chair.

Handweaving will be displayed with a table of International articles arranged by Miss M. Turner.

A letter was read from Mrs. S. Pickles, president of the Guild, who has traveled by car and house trailer to Ottawa.

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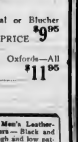

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HISTORIC Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans in Canada will hold first Victoria convention October 4 to 9. Pictured above are some officers of organization who have worked to ensure success of convention.

A. J. Wickens, K.C. of Moose Jaw, Sask., is Dominion president of organization and will rule convention. Dr. Walter S. Woods, deputy minister of Veterans Affairs, will attend as guest. Work of preparation by Major George Stiles, president of B.C. Provincial Command of the Army, Navy and Air Force veterans begin their meetings. The old idea that when war veterans get together for an annual convention they spend their time swapping tales of the battles they fought in, or playing games of chance that were favorites when they were in battle dress, should be laughed forever by the time the meeting ends.

MANY RESOLUTIONS

The veterans are pressing numerous resolutions which will be debated on the convention floor and later passed on to Federal or Provincial Governments for appropriate action.

Chief among the resolutions will be those dealing with national pensions, veterans' housing, veterans' pensions, veterans' widows' pensions and allowances for training of disabled veterans.

Officials of the Victoria branch of the Army, Navy and Air Force veterans state the convention will likely urge the Federal Government to step up its program of military pensions; ask for increases in pensions to meet the rising cos of living; pursue the battle to get rid of unemployed men, where the record shows there has been a mistake.

There will be a meeting of the organization's directors on Monday under the chairmanship of Dominion President A. J. Wickens, K.C. of Moose Jaw, Sask.

ELECTION FRIDAY

An election of officers will be held Friday and on Saturday the newly-elected directors will meet prior to the adjournment of the convention.

Greetings from the Province will be brought to the convention by Acting-Premier Herbert Anscomb. Mayor Percy E. George will extend the official welcome of the city of Victoria.

Dr. Walter S. Woods of Ottawa, deputy minister of the Department of Veteran Affairs, is expected to be present for at least part of the convention. Dr. Woods was an active deputy minister of the Department of Fisheries and National Health, in charge of rehabilitation before his elevation to his present post in 1944. Previously, he was for 11 years chairman of the War Veterans' Allowance Board.

Other veterans' leaders, including Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., have been invited to address the convention.

The resolutions committee, headed by J. H. MacLeod, adjustment officer, are expected to be the busiest group at the convention. Mrs. E. Simmons of Vancouver, Dominion president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans, also will have a flood of resolutions to handle.

WOMEN'S WORK

Scope of the work of the Ladies Auxiliary is shown in a report of Mrs. M. Coldwell, social service convenor in the Vancouver area. The report states the auxiliary spent $20,000 on social services this year, and, in addition, maintained canteens in critical areas during the Fraser River flood earlier in the year.

Preparations for the convention were made by the British Columbia provincial executive with the assistance of Brig. J. Sutherland Brown, C.M.G., D.S.O., of Victoria, honorary provincial president; Major T. R. Wheadon, V.D., president of the B.C. Provincial Command; H. E. Warburton, J.P., secretary, Provincial Command; Maj. T. R. Wheadon, V.D., president of Victoria branch; Brig. J. Sutherland Brown, C.M.G., D.S.O., of Victoria, honorary Provincial president, is expected to result in smooth running convention. Mrs. M. C. Coldwell, social convener in the

Between The Book-Ends

By Jim O'Connor

ONLY 18 years ago, The New York Times book review section reports, there was a great rumpus in Asheville, North Carolina.

"A local boy had gone and written a novel in which Asheville figured as transparently as Amber in mere cellophane. The whole town was hurt, shocked and electrified.

"I received anonymous letters full of vilification and abuse; said she novelist later, 'one search threatened to kill me if I came back home; others were merely obscene'.

"The book was denounced from the pulpit by ministers of leading churches. Once venerable old ladies whom I had known all my life, whom I had always believed in Jesus Christ, who would do nothing to prevent a mob from dragging my by overgrown karkus across the public square."

The novelist died in 1938, the Times states, still a relatively young man. And now: a decade later, word arrives that some of Asheville's best people—e.g., the mayor, a bank president and a newspaper editor—have banded together to form a memorial association and raise $1,000,000 to honor and perpetuate his fame.

"Time heals all wounds, even in Thomas Wolfe's home town."

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Winston Churchill's "The Gathering Storm" has been leading the best seller non-fiction list in the United States for the past five weeks. In the fiction section Cronin's "Shannon's Way" is now tops.

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A Negro soldier, a grown man, crying because he had to go back to the United States from Germany, gave birth to the idea of "The Last of the Conquerors" by William Gardner Smith, Negro newspaperman. The book is being widely acclaimed by critics.

Only 31, Mr. Smith started out as a police reporter on The Pittsburgh Courier. He served in the American Army in Germany and when he saw the soldier crying he investigated. "The soldier had learned to speak with a foreign language, with new perspectives opened up for him, he had felt himself a gentleman and didn't want to return to his street corner and to being a lowdiun. That was the novel, because Smith says he felt the same way returning home eight months later.

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Hugh MacLennan, Canadian author of "Two Solitudes," has received resounding praise for his latest book "The Precipice" in The New York Times book review section.

"Mr. MacLennan," William Du Bois writes, "has written an absorbing novel on the hands-across-the-border theme, a novel with a tantalizing flavor all its own."

Some Canadian reviewers, however, were not quite so kind. Jack Scott in The Vancouver Sun accused Mr. MacLennan of writing a well-nigh novel purely for American consumption. And judging from the New York reviewer, MacLennan has succeeded, if that was his purpose.

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It's a little known fact that Mark Twain once wrote a hard-riding shoot-shooting Western story titled "Aurelia's Unfortunate Young Man," Bantam Books will publish it this month in a collection titled "Western Roundup," edited by Arnold Hano.

Other anthologies have ignored the book. Mr. Hano believes, because it burlesques western fiction by referring to bloodthirsty Indians, a tortured heroine and a hero who is bloody but unbowed after his encounter with the enemy redskins.

"Sorry, Wrong Number," soon to be published in the Bantam Book line, started out as a radio play by Allen Ullman and Lucille Fletcher, on a Columbia mystery show. Paramount Pictures grabbed it for a movie starring Barbara Stanwyck and Burt Lancaster. Random House liked the story and lengthened it into a novel, which it published.

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William Saroyan can sell stories and plays, but is having a hard time selling a boom, according to the Book of the Month Club News.

Quoting a long newspaper advertisement in a San Francisco newspaper, the item says "owner paid only $32,000 for property one month ago. He is keeping six or seven years for himself as a monument to his real estate sharpness. Will sell cheaper for $38,000. If interested have head examined or telephone Phone 20174 and ask for owner's brain jam."

Psychological Overtones Feature Sensitive Story

"Time Will Darken It," by William Maxwell (Nissen Book Co., Ltd., Toronto, $3).

"If anything is wrong, Austin said his mind."

He would not try to help anybody in trouble again.

After a good deal of soul-searching Austin King comes to this conclusion when all his attempts to help and do right result only in unhappiness for the people he is trying to assist.

"Time Will Darken It" is a sensitive story about a man who has to choose and cannot choose, between two ideals—the girl he loves is merely anxious to help and his wife whom he loves. Austin King, the young lawyer, who is the central character in this psychological novel is constantly dogged by the dilemma of why what he tries to do for one person seems to result in his works against what he is trying to do for someone else.

The story centers on a quarrel between Austin and his wife, Martha. He has invited a family of four foster-cousins to visit them in their home situated in a small, Middle West town. He sent out the invitation after much hesitancy knowing his pregnant wife was already beginning to feel ill and did not wish to have strangers in their house. He finally disregarded her wishes because he felt he a could be paying off a debt in the family who took his father into its home when his parents died.

When his hospitality is misused and abused and his idealistic foster-cousin falls in love with his wife causing a rift between his wife and himself he is assailed by gripping doubts.

The author has displayed a concern for the deeper motives which misdirect the actions of morally ambitious people. His, are be carefully written, his characters finely drawn. The psychological overtones heighten the dramatic effects and provide a suspense-filled backdrop.—L.S.

The Odd Corner

Henry James in "The Art of Fiction and Other Essays" wrote that "it is excellent and inconclusive to say that one must write from experience.

"What kind of experience is intended, and where does it begin and end?" Experience is never limited, and it is never complete; it is an immense sensibility, a kind of huge spiderweb of the finest silk thrown suspended in the chamber of consciousness and catching every airborne particle of its tissue.

"It is the atmosphere of the mind; and when the mind is imaginative—much more than it happens to be that of a man of genius—it takes to itself the fashion hints of life, it converts the very pulses of the air into revelation."

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"HAND OVER FIST"

"He's making money, hand over fist." one frequently hears, and there is no doubt about the meaning of the phrase. "Hand over fist" is a crisp or achievement without interruption or diminution.

And that significance is in accordance with the original nautical expression, hand over hand being its indigenous form. The allusion was first to the literal motion of the seaman in dealing with a rope—in swinging himself up on one, or in a task such as hoisting sail.

The first figurative application of the words is thought to have been still on the high seas, to one vessel overtaking another in "hand over hand." And once the brisy saying was washed up on the shores of American agents, it became for the landlubber to add his own thumbprint by making it "hand over fist."

The reader who sent in this inquiry says that he has never had any historical connection with the old "hand overhand" which recalls his grandfather saying in the same way that persons empty "hand over fist" today—that is, as synonymous with giving the whole thing to describe a more or less precipitate action. The answer is that "hand over head" is a much older saying of British origin, with a recorded literary usage as far as 1846. This is in one of Latimer's famous sermons. It appears as follows:

"These doctors we thank God for but yet I would not have men to be sworn to them, lest they be addict, as to take hand over head whatsoever they prescribe."

(Referring to The Bell Brothers, Ben.)

WHITACRE, Warwickshire, England (CP)—Charlie Tonks, 66, who as carrier on a stretch of line between Whitacre and Hampton-in-Arden, has been waiting 16 years for a train from Birmingham to come in six weeks. Traffic was diverted in a jug mail service in 1932, but Tonks stayed on the job.

Veteran Woman Correspondent Pulls no Punches in War Novel

"The Wings of Astonishment," by Martha Gellhorn (J. J. Reginald Saunders, $3.50).

Wars involve such a complex of emotions and motives that they always have provided material for notable fiction. But the most complex war of all, the World War, so far has inspired few novels that have been more than superficial.

Martha Gellhorn's latest book has a real claim to one of the very best of World War novels, because she knows what she is writing about and gets below the surface to the motives, thoughts and feelings of men in battle. She pulls no punches and writes with a style suited to war—hard, tough, sometimes a little confused, and definitely not feminine.

Her quality seems to write about men who fight are impressive, and in "The Wings of Astonishment" they have paid off. Although still a young woman, she has spent nine years as war correspondent. She started in Spain in 1937, then went to Finland, to China, and finally to the Europe of the World War.

Her story revolves around an American battalion commander Lieutenant-Colonel John Dawson Smithers, and his handsome Jewish driver, Jacob Levy. The reader follows them, in and out of action, through the last six months of the war.

Miss Gellhorn took the title of her book from a Biblical quotation: "Thou has thowed thy people hard things: thou hast made us to drink the wine of astonishment."

The "hard things" she describes make up the most moving portion of the book. Her descriptions of actual combat, not in broad generalizations, but in terms of men who are trying to kill other men have about them something harsh and desperate that marks them as authentic.

The ending is not final and happy but is so indefinite and confused as there are many more true war endings are. In the night think they are not logical, but closing chapters Miss Gellhorn's they are sincere and should not be judged by any but those who have of her characters some of the scene through combat themselves — truths she herself learned from war. R.B.B.

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"No Highway," by Nevil Shute (McClelland & Stewart, Ltd., $3).

Mr. Honey, the mousey hero of this book, liked to keep himself cooped up in his laboratory, pondering aeronautical theories. He succeeded in doing just that, but not officially.

But when he formed a theory that the tail of a new type of tail liner was due to snap off after a certain number of hours, and found that there were planes in service nearing the deadline, he had to act quickly before his theory was proven in disaster.

The dramatic way he grounded an aircraft and the fight to prove his theories to skeptical officials who feared ruinous losses if the fleet was grounded, coupled with the reputation of a pretty stewardess and a movie actress, keeps the book moving along at a brisk clip.

Nevil Shute, author of "The Chequer Board" and "Pastoral" displays his usual skill and humor in this latest book. He is himself an aeronautical engineer, and messes to write about technical subjects so that they fit in well with the human action of his novel.

For all his skill the book doesn't altogether come off. Mr. Honey, is a mouse, and he has spare time for research on the sub-soil bases of Israel, rocket flights to the moon, the Great Pyramid and the date for the end of the world, dome of these themes, and the philosophy that go with them, is confusing.

Moral telepathy is runs in at one point to solve one of the problems in the plot. And the way a major threat to Britain's air prestige, to say nothing of a tiff with Russia, is cleared up, seems just a little too pat.

But it is good, readable entertainment, if you don't stop too long to try to figure out the symbolism behind Mr. Honey's off-duty service W.T.G.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I sort of think so"

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "ethnic"?

3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Commemoration, combatant, comedienne

4. What does the word "transcend" mean?

5. What is a word beginning with and that means "not to be absolutely"

ANSWERS

1. Say, "I rather think so." 2. Pronounce ni-but, first i as in night, second i as in it, unstressed, third i as in ice, accent first syllable. 3. Commemoration. 4. To rise above or beyond the limits or powers of. "Nothing can occur beyond the strength of faith to sustain, or transcending reasonings of religion, to relieve." —Blinney. 5. Indomitable.

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Metabolism-Rate

By DR. J. B. WARREN

Metabolism is the amount of work the different processes of life are doing, when the body is not digesting food, and is lying at perfect rest. This is then compared with the amount of work that same body should be doing according to its size or surface measurement of the skin. If it is doing more than it should it is called hyper or plus activity, and if doing less it is called hypo or minus activity.

(Released by Consolidated News Features, Inc.—Jerry Jacobs.)

Mauritius is a mountainous island of volcanic origin in the Indian Ocean.

"Rubaiyat," Spurned at Penny Cost Later Sold for $8,000 at Auction

By JERRY KLEIN

NEW YORK (NANA) — From Massachusetts comes word of the discovery of a unknown about stories thought to be the work of Nathaniel Hawthorne, one of the nation's foremost authors. The stories were written more then a century ago, says their discoverer, during the time Hawthorne was employed in the post office.

After "The Scarlet Letter" brought him fame, Hawthorne apparently did not care to claim these early and less competent stories. Better to let them vanish from the attention of the public. But Hawthorne wasn't the only author who realized his early works were better forgotten. And usually they were right.

BARRIE FLOP

The first book of J. M. Barrie, who was to write that masterpiece of whimsy "Peter Pan," was a paper-covered volume printed in 1888. It was titled "Better Dead." In later years Barrie said the name fit.

The critics shouted not one "brave" when "A Tree of Bishop" appeared in the book stores. Its author, R. C. Weir, agreed years later it could not compare with "The Time Machine" or "Mr. Britling Sees It Through."

Thomas Wolfe's genius, flowering in novels like "Of Time and the River" and "The Web and the Rock" could not be foretold from his first work. "The Crisis in Industry." That was a literary flop.

Almost as bad was "Hike and the Aeroplane," by Tom Graham. In that book you could not discover the social insight and literary skill Sinclair Lewis was to reveal in "Elmer Gantry" or "Dodsworth."

But other authors first books have risen from obscurity to eventual renown. Both an author was the Englishman, Edward Fitzgerald.

While studying the Persian language, Fitzgerald discovered poems written by a little known 11th century Persian named Chhyabhadas Abulfeth Omar Ben Ibrahim Al-Khayhami. The Englishman gathered all the verses he could find—1,000 in all—and tried to have his translations published. But they offended the taste of Victorian publishers and were rejected.

FAIR FOR PUBLISHING

At last Fitzgerald published them at his own expense—anonymously. He offered the work at five shillings a copy. Not one sale. At four shillings they hardly moved from the dealer's shelves. Down to a penny. Thoroughly discouraged and convinced the poems were worthless Fitzgerald gathered up his books.

Years later the poet, Dante Gabriel Rossetti, "discovered" the little volume and urged friends to attack London for additional copies. The verses became immensely popular and before he died, Fitzgerald admitted he was responsible for "The Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam."

In 1929 one of Fitzgerald's books that could hardly be sold for a penny wheeling his auction brought $8,000 at a New York auction.

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Port Alberni Meeting to Study Formation of Y.W.C.A. Branch

PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 2—A meeting to discuss the advisability of instituting a local branch of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held in the Port Alberni City Council chambers on October 27.

Because of industrial expansion in recent years there has been a marked increase of working girls in the district. The advisability of a local branch of the Y.W.C.A was emphasized several years ago, but because of commitments and shortage of staff no definite steps were possible.

Those interested in the plan state that one of the greatest present needs is for women's residential accommodation, either on a transient or permanent basis.

Also needed are a meeting place for organized or informal groups, and recreational facilities for both young men and women living away from home.

The planning meeting will be attended by Mrs. John Baxter, provincial vice-president from Victoria, and other officials who will speak on the work of the organization.

There is at present no organization of any kind locally and any exploratory work has been the efforts of a few interested individuals.

It is hoped that as many interested women in the community as possible will attend.

A temporary committee is composed of the following: Mrs. E. Hunt, Mrs. O. Rutzan, Mrs. G. H. Greenhalgh, Mrs. F. Weaver, Mrs. E. Adams, Mrs. B. Paterson and Miss O. Bompas.

To Build Tow As Experiment In Ski Fields

COURTENAY, Oct. 2—Contract for construction of a moveable 500-foot ski tow for the Portholme Plateau ski fields has been let by the Comox District Mountaineering Club to two Courtenay men, Angus McDonnies and Brian Bagley. Estimated cost is $300.

The tow will consist of an "endless" rope and a donkey engine, and will be used this year in the matter of an experiment with a view to constructing a permanent tow next season.

Week-end work party almost completed work of renovating the ski cabin. About 40 club members were on hand to complete gathering the Winter's wood supply, re-roof a large part of the cabin and re-board the storeroom.

Escape hatch, 36 feet high, was built at the side of the cabin, to slide out above this Winter's anticipated snowfall.

This week-end, work parties will move to the new ski cabin near the Forestry Lookout to bring in a wood supply and do repair work.

Club President Robert McPhee states there is plenty of work left to do before the snow comes to stay, and urges members and prospective members to turn out.

—McPhee looks for a record membership this year.

Truck Driver Fined For Improper Brakes

PARKSVILLE, Oct. 2—Taken before Magistrate R. C. Weld in Parksville police court, William Copley of Nanaimo was fined $10 and costs for failing to have proper brakes on his truck. The charge evolved from an accident between Copley's truck and a car driven by M. Fonty of Parksville.

Mayhew Pays Flying Visit To West Coast

PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 2—A swift, aerial tour of West Coast of Vancouver Island points was made Friday from Port Alberni by Hon. Robert W. Mayhew, Federal Minister of Fisheries.

He spent a short time in the port city prior to flying back to Vancouver and the Interior, where he was scheduled to speak.

He was accompanied on his speedy tour by J. F. Tate, regional director of fisheries, Nanaimo; Jack Olfson, M.P., Comox-Alberni, and A. Touching, Dominion Fisheries representative at Port Alberni.

Mr. Mayhew was met by R. Redman, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and by D. O'Brien, president of the Alberni District Liberal Association and Harbor Commissioners T. W. Christian and Bryce Blake.

He briefly toured the twin cities and remarked on their growth.

Few harbors, said Mr. Mayhew, had the same amount of money represented along their waterfront as did Port Alberni.

Major By-Laws Passed By Council at Ladysmith

LADYSMITH, Oct. 2—Two important by-laws were passed at a recent meeting of the Ladysmith City Council.

One imposes a tax on beer-selling establishments, based on Liquor Control Board licence fees. The other authorizes a temporary loan of $15,000 for the waterworks system. The city last year passed a Waterworks Loan By-Law for $36,000, covering the estimated cost of further improvements to the city's waterworks system, construction of a cement reservoir on Holland Creek and installing of a pipeline of ten-inch and eight-inch pipe from Second Avenue to the proposed reservoir.

Discussing the waterworks project, Chairman R. Battle expressed disappointment at the weather which has kept water in the creek at an abnormally high level for the time of the year. However, much could be done towards the time when the water level would be right for connecting the reservoir. Pipes will be laid and all blasting completed as quickly as conditions permit.

A third by-law, which will be introduced at the next meeting is designed to make rates and rate charges in the waterworks regulation conform to the by-law.

Electric light department reported installation of a new 18 transformer to meet the demand in Crofton section.

Negotiations are continuing regarding sale of city power system to the B.C. Power Commission.

Frank Jameson, member of the Ladysmith Volunteer Fire Department has been appointed fire chief to succeed Joseph Groubie, whose resignation was received at the last meeting because of commitments in other directions.

A request from Thomas McAdam and John A. Battle to operate a taxi service was granted.

DOUKHOBORS HOLD 340 ACRES OF LAND AT HILLIERS

Top photograph shows general store and Kogalmak & Nanaimo Railway station at village of Hilliers, eight miles west of Parksville on Hilliers Crossroad, which it connects with Canadian highway leading to Alberni Valley. Lower view shows high fence around Hilliers Doukhobor colony containing 340 acres of fertile land. Signs on gatepost read "Elders of the Spiritual Community of Christ, Village of Archangel," and "Cucumbers for Sale." Colony is in charge of Michael Verigin, who refers to himself as "The Archangel," and Joseph E. Podovinikoff.

Fined, Find Whiskers Cheaper

PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 2—Well, the fellows who didn't start their beards on time were paying off this morning.

Kangaroo Court of the "Alberni Forty-Niners" opened in style at the corner of Third and Argyle, and with Judge Bert Bailey waving the gavel, the cash register rang merrily as fines were collected from the beardless ones.

On the first half-day of the court between $60 and $100 in fines was collected.

The captured ones, brought in by shanghai in portable "hoosegow," tried their wiles to get away—but in vain. Appeals to a "higher court" were met adeptly by Judge Bailey, who merely turned his apple box seat on its end and declared the court to be "higher." He then fined the offenders double.

Auxiliaries Hold Meeting

PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 2—Mrs. H. Swan of Victoria, provincial president of Canadian Legion Auxiliaries, was guest speaker at the district council meeting of the Upper Island zone of Canadian Legion Auxiliaries, held here on Friday.

Port Alberni Branch was hostess to auxiliary representatives from Campbell River, Comox, Courtenay, Cumberland, Parksville and Qualicum.

Mrs. E. M. Fraser of Port Alberni presided over the meeting with Mrs. C. Groves, Qualicum, secretary-treasurer.

In the evening there was an enthusiastic rally of members of the branches of Canadian Legion in the Upper Island and of the Women's Auxiliaries to Canadian Legion in the same zone.

ALBERNI, Oct. 2—Alberni Boy Scouts are to have a 27-foot cutter to use at their Summer camps from now on. B. Wright, president of the Alberni Boy Scouts' Association, and A. Skipsey, scoutmaster, went to Victoria last week to arrange details of the purchase of the naval cowhead. Scouts are earning the money for the cost and upkeep by delivering the new issue of telephone books.

Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Intermittent rain. Winds southeast 15 m.p.h. Cooler.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Rain. Winds southeast 20 m.p.h. Cooler.

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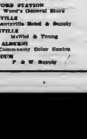

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Extensive Port Alberni Operations Will Improve Channel and Wharfage

PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 2—An extensive dredging operation in the Port Alberni harbor which would have removed a "hogback" near the Blondel, Stewart & Smith dredge facilities will be delayed until next year. The sum of $60,000 has been appropriated for the work by Ottawa but no replies to call for tenders have been received.

The explanation received by harbor commissioners is that dredges have been kept busy in the Fraser area and contractors cannot take them off their present projects.

The removal of the "hogback" on which the Southshore recently grounded would require dredging out 4,100 cubic yards of hardpan and 20,800 cubic yards of sand and gravel.

The obstruction is 350 feet long by an average of 30 feet in width. It makes difficult the approches of vessels to the B. C. & N. W. wharfage.

VINDERMERE FLOATS

Semi-final stages toward construction of new fishermen's floats and a road to serve them at the Dominion Government bulkhead were taken here on Friday when A. F. Blanchard, Federal Public Works engineer, conferred with harbor commissioners and obtained last minute details.

He returned to New Westminster where he will round out the figures preparatory to letting the tender on the $34,000 project to be started as soon as the contract is awarded. It is anticipated the work will be completed before next Spring.

Facilities are to be extensive, including the road, a fill, a trestle leading to the bulkhead, four new floats and an extension of the present float installed by the Port Alberni Plan Company to 300 feet.

PUBLIC ROAD

The road will be ten feet in width and will be laid from Bird Street along the railway right-of-way between the Alberni Engineering and Alberni Shipyards plants, around part the E. & N. Railway depot and will put outward toward the water where it will link up with the trestle leading to the bulkhead. This will be a public thoroughfare.

First of the large new floats will be the south end of the Small Boat Basin, adjacent to the bulkhead, and will be 140 feet in length. Further to the north, near the present float where the fire boat ties up, a large 80 by 40-foot float will be installed. Further north, still another long-first will stretch out and as the rest of the 80 by 40 bridge float a further 80-foot float will lead to where the fishing fleet now berths.

Subsidiary and linking floats will join these major floats.

Ninety feet of water will be left as an approach, giving full freedom of movement for the fire boat.

A 100-foot water lane will remain for boats to come and go from the long Alberni shipyards.

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Gyro Club Hole-in-One Contest Yields $6,453 to Solarium Fund

A cheque for $6,453 has been presented to the Queen Alexandra Solarium by the Victoria Gyro Club, the amount being net proceeds of the service club's annual hole-in-one contest held some time ago at Central Junior High School.

William Hudson, Gyro Club secretary, reports the money will go toward completion of a nurses' home at the Solarium, for which it has been raising funds through hole-in-one contests over the past four years.

Total cost of the nurses' home project, Mr. Hudson reported, will be $50,000. Of this total, the Gyro Club has contributed $30,000. The balance has been contributed by the Provincial Government.

To Hold Plebiscite On Beer by Glass

Whether or not beer should be sold by the glass at Sicamous will be decided by a plebiscite on October 23, according to a Provincial Government announcement made yesterday.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT By Fred Neher

"Let's settle our account, Mum . . . I kept track of every time you said you'd give me a nickel if I'd do something for you."

According to Culbertson

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East-West had very much the better of the bidding in today's deal, but they failed to get everything possible out of the defensive play.

East, dealer
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ K J 8 4 3
♥ K Q J 8 5 2
♦ 7
♣ J

WEST
♠ Q
♥ 10 6 7 3
♦ 8 4 3
♣ A 7 6 4 3

EAST
♠ A 10 9 5 4
♥ 9 4
♦ A K 10 5
♣ K 8

SOUTH
♠ 7 2
♥ A
♦ Q J 9 6 5
♣ Q 10 9 5 2

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
1 ♠	Pass	Pass (!)	2 ♥
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Double	Pass
4 ♠	Double	Pass	Pass
Pass	Pass		

Players who feel it is "satisfied" to pass out their partners' opening bids, when bidding such a hand as West's, will not take a leaf from West's book! The fact that he did not hold the one-spade bid open did not mean that he was doomed to inaction by any means—witness his shrewdly aggressive double of three hearts and the beautiful opportunity he acquired to double four clubs. Thus the moral can be drawn that early "passivity" can turn out excellently.

While on the subject of the bidding, we might observe that South had far too much to say—that with the ace of partner's suit, blank or otherwise, he had no right to run from the three-heart double.

West opened his spade queen, dummy covered and East won. Now it would have been a good idea for East to return a spade on the assumption that since South was marked very short in hearts, he was more likely to have two spades than was West, and that in any case no great harm could be done. East, however, first laid down the diamond king and then played the club king. The result was that the defenders ended up with only six tricks for an 800-point penalty, whereas by defending perfectly, with East leading spades immediately and then the set could have been increased to five tricks. West's book! The fact that he did

Victoria Y's Men's Club Honored

Henry Grimes, left, international secretary of Y's Men's Clubs, presents Bennett Trophy runner-up banner to Les Cannon, past president of Victoria Y's Men's Club during international convention held at Long Beach, Calif. Victoria Club was judged second among Y's Men's Clubs throughout world. This year was first time trophy was presented.

New Directors

WINNIPEG, Oct. 2 (CP).—The governor and committee of the Hudson's Bay Company announced the appoint of Stewart A. Searle and Perley Banbury, both of Winnipeg, as members of the Canadian committee.

Mr. Searle, president and treasurer of the Searle Grain Company, is a member of the council of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. Mr. Banbury, a graduate of the University of Toronto, is general manager of the Beaver Lumber Company.

The other members of the Canadian committee are: C. A. Riley, chairman; R. J. Crowley, F. A. Chester, J. E. Woods, F. F. Martin and J. Harris, all of Winnipeg, D. C. Coleman and Hon. C. A. Dunning, both of Montreal.

RICHMOND, Surrey, England (CP).—Town Council voted against spending £50 ($200) to equip the town hall clock with a "silencer." When the bells were restored after a four-year silence caused by a flying bomb, residents complained the noise kept them awake at night.

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Military Activities

H.M.C.S. MALAHAT

Monday—Hands fall in at 2015. Officer of the day, Lieut. R. J. Smith, R.C.N. (R). Petty officer of the day, Petty Officer R. Kinsan.

U.N.T.D.'s first and second year: Drill: Rifle shoot. Note: White caps ceased to be worn from October 1.

35th L.A.A. WORKSHOP

Tuesday—Parade: 1945 hours. Dress: Roll call order.

There will be a Sergeants' Mess meeting Tuesday at 2200 hours.

All range rifles must be returned to stores without delay.

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Tuesday—Parade: 1930 at headquarters R.C.S.C. Rainbow. Duty division: Sioux Division. Duty officer: Lieut. Bishop.

Friday—Parade: 1930 at headquarters R.C.S.C. Rainbow. Duty five feet three inches in height, division: Skeena Division. Duty officer: Sub-Lieut. Nicholls.

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There will be no change in fares on buses operating between Minimum Fare Zone and Zones Two or Three which are as follows:

BETWEEN MINIMUM FARE ZONE AND ZONE TWO

ADULT CASH FARE ..... 10¢
ADULT TICKETS (FARE, ONE TICKET) ..... 3 for 25¢
CHILDREN CASH FARE ..... 5¢
CHILDREN TICKETS (FARE, ONE TICKET) ..... 10 for 40¢

BETWEEN MINIMUM FARE ZONE AND ZONE THREE

ADULT CASH FARE ..... 15¢
ADULT TICKETS (FARE, ONE TICKET) ..... 2 for 25¢
CHILDREN CASH FARE ..... 8¢
CHILDREN TICKETS (FARE, ONE TICKET) ..... 10 for 65¢

Fares for travel solely within Zone Two or Zone Three are as follows:

ADULT CASH FARE ..... 10¢
ADULT TICKETS (FARE, ONE TICKET) ..... 4 for 30¢
CHILDREN CASH FARE ..... 4¢
CHILDREN TICKETS (FARE, ONE TICKET) ..... 8 for 25¢

Passengers travelling from Minimum Fare Zone to Zones Two or Three must obtain zone check from bus operator when paying fare. In all zones fares for children and school children remain unchanged. There is no change in transfer regulations.

PRESENT ADULT TICKETS WILL BE REDEEMED AFTER OCTOBER 2

New fare tickets will be available on October 3. The present adult 4 for 25¢ minimum fare zone tickets will be redeemed after October 2 at the B.C. Electric Ticket Office, Pandora Avenue and by the cashiers at the Langley Street and Douglas Street offices of the B.C. Electric and at the Vancouver Island Coach Lines Ticket Office, Broughton Street. Tickets of either Company will be redeemed at any of these places.

PRESENT ADULT TICKETS PLUS 1¢ MAY BE USED UNTIL OCTOBER 16

For the convenience of the public during the changeover period both companies will, from October 3, to Saturday, October 16, both inclusive, accept in payment of a fare one of the old minimum fare zone tickets plus 1¢ cash. After October 16, old tickets will be good only for redemption at the ticket offices of both companies.

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V/COUNCIRT brother of Lady Butler, Torquay Drive, Mr William A. Woods, B.A., LL.B. and his Scottish bride, the former Miss Mary Cupperton, M.A., of Edinburgh, are pictured above following their wedding in August in Edinburgh. Mrs Woods is the daughter of Mr and Mrs A. C. Clapperton of Edinburgh. Miss Joyce Clapperton, sister of the bride, attended her as bridesmaid, while Mr. Robert Greig, son of the late Sir Robert Greig of Edinburgh, was the best man.

Mr. Woods, who was educated at St. Michael's School and Brentwood College, served in the Royal Canadian Navy during the war and was called to the Bar in England. Mr and Mrs. Woods have only recently come to Canada and are now residing in Red Deer, Alberta. They will visit Victoria, guests of Lady Butler, during Christmas holidays.

Visitor from Nelson Enjoys Holiday Here

—Colonist Photo

Mrs. A. E. Murphy of Nelson, B.C., pictured in the garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. M. Lock, 201 Island Highway, where she has been a guest for the past week. Mrs. Murphy will leave tomorrow for Vancouver, where she will visit for a few day s before returning to her home in the Interior.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Hedley, 1380 Rockland Avenue, have returned to the city after spending the Summer in the Okanagan and the Kootenay.

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Dr. Evans G. Nelson of Portland, Oregon, is spending a week in Victoria and is a guest of Dr. and Mrs David Parfitt, 3018 Blackwood Street.

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Mrs. D Earl, "Maple Hurst" East Saanich Road, entertained at the tea hour recently when guests included Mrs. Hugh A. McLeod, who leaves on Monday for Winnipeg, Mrs. W. G. Wilson and Mrs. W T Straith.

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Mrs. Karl Johanson will leave today for Vancouver to attend the annual Parent's Institute and Workshop as Langford P.-T.A. delegate.

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Mrs. R. J. Smith has returned to her home at Langford Lake following a six weeks' visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs D. Smith of Vancouver.

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Capt. J. D Prentice, R.C.N., and members of the Naval Officers' Association of Victoria have issued invitations to the annual ball to be held in H.M.C.S. Naden wardroom on Friday evening, October 15.

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Miss Cora Wharton, a popular October bride-elect, was honored Friday at a linen shower given by Miss Sadie Thorburn and Miss Margery Tindall at the home of the former, 1026 Roslyn Road. Corsage bouquets were presented to the bride-elect, her mother, Mrs. C. F. Wharton, and the mother of the groom-elect, Mrs. J. Lawson. Many lovely gifts were presented from a "wishing well." Supper was served from a table attractively decorated with pink Chrysanthemums and lighted by tall pink tapers. Presiding at the urns were Mrs. Wharton and Mrs. Lawson. Invited guests included Mrs. J. G. Thorburn, Mrs. R. B. Mashford, Mrs. W. C. Mainwaring, Mrs. M. White, Mrs. J. Cook, Mrs. E. Tuttle, Mrs. E. Mapps, Mrs. W. E. Holland and Misses P. Wharton, N. Thorburn, R. Bailey, J. Currie, W. Graham and R. Rump.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Arnott entertained at an after-five party yesterday in honor of Mr. B. W. Roberts, O.B.E., and Mrs. Roberts of Montreal who are spending the week-end in Victoria, guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Clark and their daughter, Miss Margaret Clark, of Grey Creek, B.C., are visiting Mrs. Clark's sisters, Misses Noel and Joyce Smith, Admiralty Road, for a few days. Next week they will go to Qualicum where they will be the guests of Mr. J. D'Arcy Bacon, "Dancsclife."

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Among those entertaining at the dinner dance in the Crystal Ballroom of the Empress Hotel last night were: W. Achterman with four guests; A. M. Armour with two guests; H. Barnes with six guests; T. A. Brown with six guests; Y. Heisler with eight guests; E. Robb, R. Temple and J. A. White, all with six guests, and A. C. Hall and G. Lindquist with four guests.

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Miss Kathleen Brinkman, an October bride-elect, was guest of honor at a surprise miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening when Mrs. B Haslock and Mrs. D. A. Smith were joint hostesses at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. W. J. Brinkman, 1331 Palmer Road. The lovely gifts were presented in a miniature dream house. Miss Brinkman was presented with a corsage of gardenias, while her mother and the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. Thomas Dickson, and his grandmother, Mrs. A Ingall, each received chrysanthemums. Among those present were Mrs. W. J. Brinkman, Mrs. T. Dickson, Mrs. A. Ingall, Mrs. R McAulay, Mrs. W. Hopkins, Mrs. L. Reese, Mrs. C. Brinkman, Mrs. H. Hammill, Mrs. S. Higgins, Mrs. J. Lawrence, Mrs. B. Hobbs, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. F. Partridge, Mrs. W. Broadfoot, Mrs. A. Walker, Mrs. C. A. Belcher, Mrs S. White, Mrs. E. Lobbrunner, Mrs V. Alsar, Mrs. A. Haslock, Mrs. D. A Smith and Misses M. Brinkman, J. McAulay, T. Hopkins, M. Edgar, D. Allen, K. Johnson, L. Crawford, K. Malloy and J. Lobbrunner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker of the Qualicum Beach Hotel are spending a few days in Victoria.

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Mrs J. Ingram Smith will entertain at the tea hour this afternoon when guests will be executive members of the Intermediate Branch of the Victoria Musical Arts' Society.

Winnipeg Visitor Spending Several Weeks Here

—Colonist Photo

Mrs. Frank G. Baxter arrived last week from Winnipeg to visit her mother, Mrs. H. C. Cowdry, 2646 Burdick Avenue, for several weeks.

Mrs. Smith has asked Mrs. R. D. McCaw and Miss May Lewis to preside at the tea table and Miss Marjorie Jones to assist her in serving.

DARTMOUTH, England (CP).—Elderly people here accepted food parcels sent by children in Dartmouth, N.S., to Princess Elizabeth.

LONDON (CP). — Sixteen South London mothers will fight "middlemen" aged arrived by taking fencing lessons sponsored by County Council.

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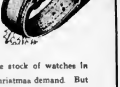

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Ladysmith Wedding Of Wide Interest

LADYSMITH, Oct. 3—St. John's Anglican Church, decorated with Michaelmas daisies and coral pink dahlias, was the scene of a wedding of wide interest on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, when Eva Agnes Damon, R.N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Damon, of Moriloch, Sask., became the bride of Rodney Robert Foster, Ladysmith, son of Mrs. R. Dewey, of Los Angeles. Rev. W. R. Greenhalgh performed the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by Robert P. Davidson, was lovely in an afternoon gown of French blue crepe with yoke of lace in shade en tone, over pink silk. She wore cameo pink lace mitts and a hale hat with misty pink net shoulder veil and a corsage of pink rosebuds and carnations. A single strand of pearls with earrings to match, completed her ensemble.

Attending the bride was Miss Edna Prail, R.N., wearing an afternoon gown of cameo rose crepe. Her headdress was a tiny cap of cameo rose felt with blue net veiling. Blue lace mitts and corsage of carnations complemented her gown.

Mr. Alfred Hulme was best man, and Mr. Ted Brown and Mr. Henry MacCabe were ushers. Mrs. P. Findley presided at the organ.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mr and Mrs. J. Hulme, Third Avenue. Mrs. R. Dewey, mother of the groom, assisted the young couple in receiving the guests. The bride's three-tier cake, embedded in pink tulle, centred a beautifully-appointed table and was flanked by pink tapers in crystal holders. Mr. Dewey proposed the toast.

The honeymoon is being spent on the Mainland, the bride choosing for her going-away costume a ruby claret fine wool suit with smoke grey topcoat of gabardine with accessories in smoke grey.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster will reside at the Diamond, Ladysmith.

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Wedding to Take Place on October 22

MISS JOSEPHINE WILSON —Photo by Kew.

MR. HARRY CLARKE

Mrs. Eugene Forster of Fort St. John announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Josephine Ruth Wilson of Victoria, to Mr. Harry Paleston Clarke, son of Mrs. G. P. Clarke of Victoria and the late Engineer Commander G. Paleston Clarke, R.C.N. Mr. Clarke, who served with the R.C.A.F. during the war and was attached to the R.A.F. Transport Command in Burma, is now with the Canadian Trans-Atlantic Air Service. The wedding will take place at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, Friday, October 22.

St. Margaret's Old Girls Hold Successful Silver Tea

St. Margaret's School Old Girls' Association held a successful silver tea on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Norman Yarrow, Foul Bay Road, netting the sum of $75.00 towards the scholarship fund.

Receiving with Mrs Yarrow were Miss H. M. Pearce, principal and Mrs. A. K. Love, president of the Old Girls.

The reception rooms were beautifully decorated with Fall flowers and presiding at the tea table were Mrs. M. E. Godson, vice-principal, Mrs. A. J. Ross, Mrs J. S. Woods, Miss Doris Harper and Miss Barbara Bullock-Webster.

A brisk sale of tickets for the Victoria Little Theatre's play "Dear Ruth," which the association are sponsoring on Friday, November 19, in aid of the School's Reference Library was held.

A large number of both mothers of the present students and Old Girls were present.

In charge of the successful arrangements were Mrs. Eric Gualtieri, Mrs. Gordon Bell, Mrs. A. J. Laundy, Miss Frances Price, Miss Norah Cornwall, Miss Margaret Ogle and Miss Sally Woods.

St. Joseph's Plan Bazaar

At a business meeting of St. Joseph's Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary held Friday, plans were made for the annual bazaar to be held on November 4 at the Nurses' Home on Collinson Street.

Conveners were named for the following stalls: Fancywork, Mrs. J. A. Cramer; dolls, Mrs. T. Taylor; aprons, Mrs G. Brady; home cooking, Mrs. E. Hornsby; fish pond, Mrs. J. Taylor; tombola, Mrs. Dickinson. Tea will be in charge of Mrs Llewelyn Jones

Mrs. F. Doherty will represent the auxiliary at the British Columbia Hospital Auxiliary annual meeting in Vancouver next week

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EGHAM, Surrey, England (CP)—Eighty German women attending a church conference here wept when presented with bars of soap. One said she had more baths in nine days in Britain than she had in Germany since 1941.

European Relief Subject of Talk

Mrs. Otis Floyd Lamson will address the Women's Canadian Club Wednesday at 2 45 p.m. in the Empress ballroom on the subject of "European Relief."

Mrs Lamson was the delegate from the State of Washington who went with the American Friendship Train to distribute 8,000,000 pounds of food and clothing to the destitute of Germany and Austria. As Mrs Lamson was the only delegate to speak fluent German, she had an opportunity to learn directly from the people actual facts about existing conditions.

As chairman of the Seattle branch of American Aid to France, she was decorated by the French Government for her outstanding services in financing the children's ward in the American Memorial Hospital in France.

Mrs. Lamson is also the recipient of a special citation from the surgeon-general of the navy for her work as organizer of Camp and Hospital Services for the American Red Cross.

Mrs. W. W McGill of the Garden Library spoke to the mothers of the James Bay Cathedral Co-operative Play Group at their monthly meeting held recently in the Niagara Street Cathedral School. Mrs. McGill gave an instructive talk on some of the problems peculiar to the pre-school child.

Clubs and Societies

Sir James Douglas P-T.A. will meet in the school auditorium on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Wellness Auxiliary to the Veterans' Hospital will meet at the hospital on Monday at 2 p.m.

St. Matthias' Guild will hold a card party in the church hall on October 8 at 8 p.m.

The W.C.T.U. will meet on Monday at 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. George Holt, 1109 Glenora Place.

The Junior Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will meet on Monday at 2:30 p.m. in the Nurses' Home.

The Women's Auxiliary to Sooke Branch, Canadian Legion, will meet on Monday at 8 p.m. in the Legion Hall.

The Victoria West Chapter, P-T.A., held a "Get Acquainted" party Friday evening for 90 parents and friends.

Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet at headquarters on Thursday at 2 30 p.m. A social will follow at 3 30.

Margaret Rose Pythian Sunshine Council, No. 1, will meet on Wednesday in K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street, at 7 p.m.

St. Martin's-in-the-Fields Afternoon Branch of the W.A. will meet on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. J. Saich, 3973 Wascana Street, at 2 30 p.m.

The members of the ex-W.R.C.N.S. Association, H.M.C.S. Malahat Division, will meet on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Officers' Club, Building No. 46, H.M.C. Dockyard, Esquimalt.

The Ready-to-Help Circle of the King's Daughters will hold a silver tea to mark their 35th anniversary in the sickroom, 739 Courtney Street, on Wednesday from 2 to 4 p.m.

Burnside P-T.A. will meet in the school auditorium October 6, at 8 p.m. when Mrs. N. Simpson will give a talk on the T.B. Mobile Clinic. The "Sewing Bee" will hold a shower for the coming bazaar, October 7, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. N. Calder, 607 Alpha Street.

Mrs. W. O. Leith and Mrs. J. Gibbons will be welcomed into the chapter at the regular meeting of the Emmanuel Chapter, I.O.D.E. The chapter will sponsor a dance recital by the pupils of Velda Wide on November 4. Mrs. Warren Smith, regent, presided at the meeting.

Orphanage Party Next Thursday

The annual Pound Party of the B.C. Protestant Orphanage will be held Thursday, October 7, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Home on Cook Street.

The orphanage, which is supported by public contributions, announced that every pound of supplies donated will be gratefully received. Donations of cash or fruit would be acceptable too. Forty-five children are taken care of in the home.

Tea will be served and a program of solos and choruses by the children will be presented.

Mrs. Walter Luney, president of the ladies' committee will welcome guests who will be shown through the home by members of the board

For Brides-Elect

Mrs. R. L. Bilodeau and Miss Sheila Craven entertained recently at 420 Southgate Street at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Laura Webb who is to be married next week. The gifts were presented in a miniature rushing well and the bride-elect was presented with a corsage of white carnations. A pink carnation corsage was presented to Mrs. R. Webb, mother of the bride-elect, and Mrs. Austin Craven, the groom's mother. Guests included Mrs. F. Webb, Mrs. J. F. Macdonald, Mrs. H. Linsham, Mrs. L. Westerdale, Mrs. G. Pagan, Mrs. J. Warburton, Mrs. R. MacDonald, Mrs. J. MacDonald, Mrs. E. MacDonald and Mrs. J. Leahy.

The Margaret Jenkins P.-T.A. held the district. Mrs. A. F. Davidson Mrs. W. H. Muncy and Mrs. J. Friday in honor of new parents in guests, while tea was poured by convener of the affair.

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Commencement Exercises at St. Ann's Academy

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TWENTY-THREE graduates in white caps and gowns entered the auditorium at St. Ann's Academy Friday evening in stately processional and took their places on the flower-bedecked stage for the Commencement Exercises.

Most Reverend James M. Hill, Bishop of Victoria, presided at the traditional ceremony, conferring the diplomas and special awards. Miss Diana Sinclair, school president, welcomed the parents and friends who crowded the hall. Mr. Joseph McKenna presented the graduates with their diplomas.

Special cash prizes donated by the Catholic Women's League were presented by Mrs W. J. Sullivan and Mrs Madeline Clay to Mary Louise White for Christian Doctrine and to Patricia Westwood for Canadian History. A special award for mathematics in Grade XII was given to Miss Cicely Bossiter, who attained 97% in the June departmental examination. Honorable mentions for perfect attendance was given the Misses Pearl Scott, Edythe Thornett, Elizabeth Harding, Sybil Irish, Janet Beauchesne and Josephine Chabarrt.

Most Reverend James M. Hill, Bishop of Victoria, presided at the traditional ceremony, conferring the diplomas and special awards. Miss Diana Sinclair, school president, welcomed the parents and friends who crowded the hall. Mr. Joseph McKenna presented the graduates with their diplomas.

A short musical program included vocal solos by Miss Maureen Rogers and two bulbbers by the High School Choir. Miss Doreen Knott was soloist in the choral, "Psalm 89." Following the valedictory by the Misses Diana Ramsden and Pearl Scott, Bishop Hill gave an inspiring and encouraging address to the graduates. Students from senior matriculation and commercial classes acted as ushers.

Diplomas for the completion of university entrance were received by the Misses Alice Mae Bell, Maureen Burnett, Angela Cassidy (honor standing), Madeline Cleins, Betty Ann Cross, Elaine Douglas, Leslie Field (honor standing), Elizabeth Harding, Elgan Leahy (honor standing), Mary Liebhauser (honor standing), Bernadette Lineham, Eileen Montague (honor standing), Miriam Morgan, Yvonne Motion, Jean Pringle, Diana Ramsden (honor standing), Lorna Rooney, Cicely Rossiter, Joyce-Lyn Ruddock, Pearl Scott, Patricia Ruth Simmit (honor standing), Wilda Thomas, Edythe Thornett.

A silver medal, donated by the Governor-General of Canada, was awarded to Miss Angela Cassidy for the highest marks in her class in the university entrance examinations, and a bronze medal to Patricia Burnett for the highest marks in Grade Eight. Other awards for class excellence in high school were merited by the Misses Diana Enderbsy, Marian Bird and Dorothy Conery. Prizes for highest standing in high school religion classes were merited by the Misses Ellen Leahy, Marian Bird and Peggy O'Sullivan.

Ginger Flake Cake For Hallowe'en

All Hallow's Eve, that delightful shuddery night, is approaching again, with the children eager for the annual fun-and-fright party. Bring on the favorite games! Pin the donkey's tail, spin the bottle, bob for apples.

When it's time to eat, the simple, well-loved foods are most welcome. Three cheers will greet hot, spicy, gingerbread or doughnuts with mugs of sparkling cider, nuts and apples. Simple refreshments these—and so easily prepared that even the mother of three young 'goblins' can face Hallowe'en party plans easily.

GINGER FLAKE CAKE

¼ cup shortening
¼ cup sugar
1 egg
¼ cup molasses
2 cups corn flakes
1 cup sifted flour
¼ teaspoon soda
¼ teaspoon ginger
¼ teaspoon cinnamon
¼ teaspoon cloves
½ cup hot water

Blend shortening and sugar thoroughly. Add egg and molasses, beat well. Stir in corn flakes which have been crushed into fine crumbs and sifted dry ingredients. Add water and beat until smooth. Pour into greased baking pan and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 30 to 35 minutes.

Yield: 8 servings (8x8-inch pan).

GAMBRIDGE, England (CP). — Sent to hospital with leg injuries, 16-year-old Alma Ransome took her school examinations lying face down on a cot, legs encased in plaster and a school examiner beside her. She passed.

Engagements

Mrs. Odie J. Siteman, of Halifax, N.S., wishes to announce the engagement of her daughter, Elva Joan Siteman, to George W. Carpenter, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Carpenter, New Westminster, B.C. The wedding will take place late in November at Victoria, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Colin Wood, 1250 Monterey Avenue, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Vera Watt, to John Kennedy (Ken) McIlhane, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. McIlhane, of 2606 18th Avenue W., Vancouver. The wedding will take place at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on Saturday, October 23, at 5 p.m.

The engagement is announced of Phyllis Marion, daughter of Mrs. C. Wakefield and the late C. T. M. Wakefield, to James Michael J. Tildesley, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Tildesley, Wildwood Avenue. The wedding will take place Friday, November 12, at 8 p.m. in St. Matthias' Church.

Mr. L. C. Wells, 1064 View Street, announces engagement of his eldest daughter, Mary Kathleen, to Mr. Hugh Carmichael Reslon, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. F. Reslon, 2054 Chancer Street. The wedding will take place on October 23.

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1 teaspoon cinnamon
¾ teaspoon salt

Roll cereal into fine crumbs; combine with butter and sugar, mixing well. Press mixture evenly and firmly around sides and bottom of pie pan, and chill thoroughly before adding filling.

Soak gelatin in cold water. Heat milk, pumpkin, butter and molasses together in top of double boiler. Combine sugar, ginger, cinnamon and salt, add to pumpkin mixture. Stir in softened gelatin and mix thoroughly, cool. Pour into pie shell and chill until firm.

Yield: One 9-inch pie.

HONORED BY STAFF

Following the school-opening exercises held yesterday, the staff of Central Junior High School gathered to honor one of their former colleagues. Mr. A. W. Johns recently appointed to the Provincial Normal School, Principal Arthur T. Hamm, speaking on behalf of the teachers, told Mr. Johns that he would be missed at the school but said he was glad that the students of the Normal School would have the opportunity of learning under his capable tuition. Mr. Johns was presented with a set of ski points and artist's supplies from the staff as a farewell gift.

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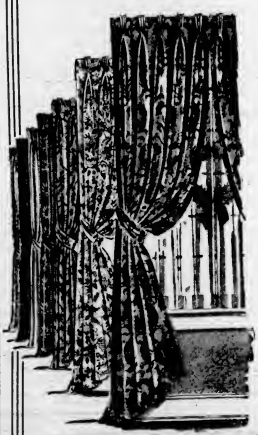

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MRS. J. W. Carver, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans Unit No. 12 will be hostess to the 150 delegates, visitors and local members at the Dominion convention to be held in Victoria from October 5 to 9. On October 6 the ladies will participate in a joint ceremony with the men in the march to the Cenotaph and placing of wreaths. At the close of Thursday's meeting a tea will be held in Spencer's private dining-room.

Keeps Her Eye on Broadway

MONTREAL, Oct. 2 (CP)—Pretty night-club singer Jeanne d'Arc Charlebois thinks "you can become a great star overnight because the thing called destiny decides the course of your life." But she believes in helping destiny by hard work.

The statuesque, ash-blonde Jeanne, who has spent 12 of her 26 years before the footlights, is a good example of a city girl who reversed the usual order of entertainment life by making good in the "sticks" and then setting out to wow the big city.

A natural mimic, she includes in her repertoire a series of male imitations. She doesn't stop there. Jeanne also imitates male imitators imitating other people.

The versatile young woman says she believes the thing called destiny decides the course of your life, "and all I'm doing is helping it along by working hard."

In her career, Jeanne has had more proposals of marriage than the average girl, many of them from complete strangers.

However when she says "no" she can make it sound convincing without giving too much offence because she's a big girl, measuring five feet seven inches in her stocking feet and weighing 148 pounds.

MANY APPEARANCES

Playing the night club circuit in Montreal and country towns, with radio appearances and recordings as a sideline, Jeanne expects to be in show business for a long time.

"I have a perfect understanding with my public," she says, "as long as they don't tire of me, I'll not tire of them."

Marriage doesn't interfere with her career. Two years ago she took time out to make a trip to Rhode Island to wed. Oliver Guimond—better known as "Tikoune, Jr." the French-Canadian star comedian of the Canadian Art Theatre in the same church in which her grandparents were wed.

"Our marriage is working out very well," she says. "That's because we have so much in common. We're both show people. I love clothes and he likes to see me well dressed.

"I love housework, but I haven't had much of a chance to do it because we're still looking for an apartment. He's a good cook and the only thing we argue about is who's going to cook dinner."

Jeanne has two ambitions—to star in a musical comedy on Broadway and to make a tour of the United States singing the folk songs of Quebec.

"I've had offers from New York in the past, but turned them down because I don't feel ready yet," she said.

But Jeanne knows the business and after a "rough" start feels confident that she will be singing under the white lights of Broadway before long.

FALSE ALARM

NOTTINGHAM, England, Oct. 2 (CP)—Four-year-old Marian Douglas rode her pony, Fanny, in a local horse show today.

Three times the little girl was thrown from the saddle and the third time she lay stiff and still on the ground. The attendants rushed over. Without moving a muscle, Marian looked up and said:

"Fanny is standing on my pigtail."

Babies Christened

Sheila Eleanor Violet were the names received by the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Obee at a christening service at Metropolitan United Church recently, with the Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse officiating. Mr. and Mrs. George Davis were the baby's godparents.

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Tran of Stewart, B.C., was christened Janet Louise at a service performed by the Rev. A. Lomas. Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Brown of Brentwood and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. B. Anderson of Stewart were the baby's godparents. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mosher of Victoria and Mrs. C. Tran of Vancouver, and the late Dr. Tran.

Planes to Use Carrier Bases

PEARL HARBOR, Oct. 3 (AP)—The United States Navy plans to fly 12 short-range combat planes from California to Hawaii next Tuesday using two aircraft carriers as refuelling bases at 800-mile intervals.

The operation will be the first long-range over-water ferrying flight of its sort.

The navy announcement called it "a fast and practical" method which "will demonstrate that needed aircraft can be ferried over vast ocean reaches, using the shortest geographical point-to-point route."

It said that this use of carriers would permit routes to avoid "areas of possible enemy action" or bad weather.

Fading Strength of City "Machines" New Worry for Democratic Chiefs

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2 (NANA)—Banking close up to the dislocated and Wallace defections as cause for worry by the Democratic high command is the deterioration of city machines that were mainly responsible for holding the big industrial states for President Roosevelt.

Not only have the city organizations declined in effectiveness but there is a marked tendency among them to sell out President Truman in a desperate effort to hang on to state and local offices.

The latter is especially true of New York City where Mayor William O'Dwyer has inaugurated a purge of elements both right and left which he considers disloyal to his administration. Mainly the mayor is kicking out city officeholders and party functionaries drawn from the American Labor Party, which is now supporting Henry Wallace for President. But, earlier, he had made war on the old school of Tammany leaders and it is still touch and go as to who will finally come out on top in that organization.

The collapse of Edward J. Flynn's once-powerful hold on the Bronx was indicated when Leo Isacson, a Wallacite, beat the Democratic nominee almost two to one in a congressional by-election last spring.

Mayor O'Dwyer's greatest strength is in his home borough of Brooklyn but even there the Democratic organization is bitterly split.

IRONICAL

The irony of this New York City Democratic situation is that it stems directly from President Roosevelt's creation of the American Labor Party and his support of the mayoral administration of Fiorello H. LaGuardia, who did his level best to destroy the Democratic city organization.

In Chicago the once-vaunted machine of former Mayor Edward J. Kelly is suffering mainly from an almost complete refusal of his successor, Mayor Martin H. Kennally, to play ball with it. Mr. Kennally is devoting himself strictly to improving the city government and, in the process, he has fired hundreds of Democratic machine henchmen.

The once all-powerful New Jersey Democratic boss, Frank Hague, still controls his home bailiwick of Jersey City but he has little influence left in the rest of the state due mainly to the bitter wages against him by an honest and efficient Democratic governor, Charles Edison.

MAIN FACTOR

Mr. Truman's own Pendergast machine in Kansas City was soundly walloped both in the 1946 congressional election and in the municipal election last Spring. And in Memphis, boss Ed Crump took the worst licking of his long career in the recent Tennessee state primary. Crump previously had opposed Mr. Truman and the fear of national leaders now is that the Memphis boss will turn his waning strength against the whole Democratic ticket in the November election.

The biggest factor in breaking up these old-style city machines, perhaps, is the ruling power of organized labor. The machines in their heyday drew strength from the millions of foreign immigrants who, receiving help and advice from Democratic clubhouses, had redistributed themselves in other large cities began and in recent years they have been losing out also to the political action committees of organized labor.

Whether as Democrats or under some other label, the specialists are that the industrial workers in large cities will gravitate more and more toward something in the nature of a Labor Party. And it seems impossible for this group ever to get together again with the Democratic Party of the South as it is now constituted.

Defence Share May Be Given To Eskimos

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Oct. 2 (AP)—Eskimos may again share Uncle Sam's defence bunds.

On Alaska's northernmost shores, far above the Arctic Circle, natives who played a little-told part in the Alaska Territorial Guards of the last war may again resume such duties.

Closer ties with whites and another bond among themselves were gains which the 30,000 natives, Eskimos, Indians and Aleuts, from all over Alaska, gained in the A.T.G. under Maj. Mervin R. Marston commanding officer.

"I understand there is talk again of reorganizing the Alaska Guard," Simeon Oliver, writer and lecturer, who himself half Eskimo, said in an interview.

"Every eligible Eskimo man was a member during the last war. They were trained, given guns and ammunition and had various duties, such as watching for submarines.

They were a sort of vigilante group and numbered several hundred."

(The Anchorage Times said on August 27 that the Army and Territorial Government were making plans to establish native scout units in Alaska, as well as a battalion of the National Guard. The Scouts, the paper said, would be composed largely of Eskimos in the more remote areas of the territory.)

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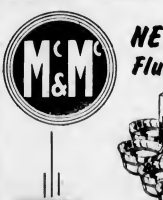

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Crippled girl is taken care of in fire drills at Happy Valley School. In picture, seven-year-old Doreen Oatrim is carried out fire exit by Helma Nikkels and Shirley Heyd, while Miss Sylvia Abbott, class teacher, directs traffic. Door children are using opens directly from classroom and is equipped with panic bolt that opens door when it is pressed. All classrooms in Sooke district now have similar exits for all classrooms, after extensive fire prevention program of past 18 months.

Trees Delight Citizens by Day But De-Light Streets by Night

By DENIS BLENDEN

Victoria's tree-lined residential streets, a salute to nature in daytime, don't look so inviting at night despite efforts of the city lighting men to keep their street lights from hiding under a bushel of leaves.

The city after dark is still too dark in places to satisfy the street lighting department, and main cause seems to be the profusion of trees that block light rays.

The problem is clear but far from easy to solve. Cut down a tree and the tree-lovers protest; don't cut down the tree and the light-lovers complain.

With this city-old problem in mind, a two-hour owl prowl of the city was taken Friday night to see how much light is getting through to the streets. On the tour was Ald. Frank O. Mulliner, chairman of the street lighting committee; Ald. Duncan D. McTavish, a member; Ald. Aubrey Kent, parks commission chairman who takes the responsibility whenever city workmen get year a tree, and Kenneth Reid, city lighting superintendent.

CITY AFTER DARK

The night tours are held to get a complete picture of the city after dark to supplement the personal observations each alderman gains by personal driving around the city.

With Ald. Kent along, this tour was directed at the bushy trees that populate residential areas and stretch out branches to blot out the street light.

The lighting department men try everything they can think of to allow their lights to illuminate properly. They put the lights on 16-foot extension arms from the pole to let them peep out from between trees. They string wires across the street and hang a light in the middle. They put in another light to take care of a blind spot. They put in a stronger or different type of light.

When all else fails, they start looking wistfully at the trees.

The technique on the tour was something like this: With lights out, the car stops near the curb.

"This street isn't so good," says Ald. Mulliner, "look at that tree on the corner. You can hardly see the light on the corner pole."

WHICH MOVES

"We put the light on an arm to get it away from the tree," explains Ken Reid. "But that tree needs trimming or removing."

"Could you put the light on the opposite corner?" asks Ald. Kent, possibly thinking of the citizen who will rise in anger if anyone goes near the tree with a saw. There is usually a good reason why the light is where it is, and so the discussion goes, with Ald. Kent agreeing that the trees could be trimmed here, one taken out there and the lighting committee pointing out what has been done or is planned to get better lighting on a certain block.

It's when the tour gets to Vernon West that the situation gets really dark.

The department is in the middle of trying to shed a decent amount of light in Victoria West. Ald. Mulliner's committee is doubling the street lights there, from 116 to 220, with money from a street lighting improvement by-law passed some time ago.

LIGHTS STANDARDIZED

New transformers, miles of wiring, new poles and lights and plenty of work is going into the reclamation of Victoria West's lighting. After that comes James Bay.

New lights in the city are standardized on the closed type that looks like a large inverted saucer and are much more efficient than the old open lights with a reflector. There are three types—4,000 lumens of light, 6,000 and 10,000. They cost about $25 each.

The city is using two types of vapor lights. One is the mercury vapor, which is blue-green and is used mainly for important intersections. The other is the sodium vapor, which gives reddish-brown, and is used on approaches to Johnson Street and Point Ellice Bridges.

"It's a distinctive light for a bridge," said Mr. Reid. "A driver is immediately conscious that there is something different ahead."

CLUSTER HEADACHE

Downtown lights are another story. The cluster lights, put in through a 1912 by-law, give the lighting department a cluster of headaches.

"We go along a street one night and put in new lights where needed," explained Ald. Mulliner, "and the next night a different bunch of bulbs have burned out."

The department used about 4,000 of the 60-watt bulbs in the cluster lights each year. There are five bulbs to a standard—and also five glass globes that playful people like to use as targets for slingers. Last year on the globes was $3.43 each, except for a used batch obtained when Vancouver discarded such lights.

The new lights on the Causeway are pointed to as an example of good downtown lighting. The chisters there well remained recently of 10,000 lumens.

"They cost less to maintain," pointed out Ald Mullinar.

There was silent agreement that they look better, too.

Two 'Years' Work on Sooke Schools Erases 'Luck' From Fire Prevention

By BRUCE BYRNES

Parents in Sooke district have no fears that their children will ever be trapped in a blazing school building.

They admit that it was only by sheer luck that Sooke schools escaped serious fires in the past, but they won't have to depend on luck in the future. In the past 18 months, besides putting up new schools and installing new and safer furnaces, the Sooke district school board has spent more than $5,000 to protect its schools from fire.

Now every classroom has an exit, furnace rooms are fireproof, and in every other way possible the lives of the children have been safeguarded.

"I don't know of any classroom in this school district today that does not come up to fire regulations," Patrick Strachan, district secretary said yesterday.

The situation contrasts with that in many Greater Victoria schools, where fire officials have termed conditions "a menace to children." City Fire Chief Robert T. Brindle said this week that school officials are doing all they can to guard against fire, but that fire hazards cannot be eliminated until the old schools are replaced by new ones.

MONTHLY FIRE-TRAPS

Before the Sooke school board started its fire-proofing program the schools in the district included some of the worst fire-traps in British Columbia.

School trustees found out how bad fire conditions were in their schools shortly after the district board was created in 1946. They asked Provincial Police and the Langford and Colwood fire departments to inspect the schools and report on fire hazards.

Their reports showed that fire precautions were hopelessly inadequate in most classrooms. Furnace rooms were not protected from the rest of the building, wiring was defective and there were not enough exit doors.

Most of the school buildings were of frame construction, and danger to pupils would be great if a fire got a good start.

The board immediately set out to remedy the situation. The chairman, F. H. Emery, was a local assistant to the fire marshal, and Mr. Strachan and several of the trustees had similar personal interests in fire prevention.

JOB MADE EASIER

They have now carried out all recommendations of the report on fire conditions except installation of electric fire alarm bells, and these will be done before school closes in June.

Their job was made easier by the frame construction of the schools. This enabled them, at relatively small expense, to cut through walls and make a fire exit in every classroom.

The fact that most of the schools had only one floor also lessened the number of changes they had to make.

School population in the district jumped more than 60 per cent since 1946, from 535 to 895. A building program has been carried out, essentially enough that the 23 schools in the district can handle the increase without overcrowding.

Fire prevention facilities were installed in 11 new buildings, including 20 sections of army huts, so far. Five old schools were scrapped and replaced by new structures.

But it has been improvement of old buildings, formerly fire-traps, that has brought board members and parents most satisfaction. They point out that the $5,000 spent on fire prevention measures in the past year and a half was the sort of item some school boards might have tried to pare down or cut from the budget.

Mr. Strachan, Mr Emery and Trustee B. H. Swindell were in Vancouver a week ago and inspected two high schools and one elementary school.

"We all agreed that the fire exits in the schools we saw there were not nearly as good as those in our Sooke schools," Mr. Strachan said.

The three-room school at Happy Valley is typical of schools in the Sooke district. It used to have two rooms, but only one exit. The furnace, in a small basement, was not fireproofed from the rest of the school.

Now a room has been added, and each of the three rooms has its own fire exit. These exit doors have panic bolts, horizontal bars that open the door when they are pressed. All doors open outward.

In the basement there is a fireproof partition between the coal bin and the furnace, and more fireproofing on the walls and ceilings of the furnace room itself.

FREQUENT DRILLS

Surprise fire drills are held often. The principal, F. J. Willway, or one of the senior boys whom he has instructed beforehand, rings the "fire bell" in the hall by hitting a piece of bent pipe with a railroad spike.

One senior boy goes immediately to the light switch and shuts off the electricity, and one goes through the building to make sure no one is left. In the meantime Mr. Willway and the other teachers, Mrs. Willway and Miss Sylvia Abbott, supervise the children as they walk out the fire exits. In 40 seconds the building is empty.

This week is Fire Prevention Week, but it will make little difference in Sooke district schools. They guard against fire danger all year round.

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A mixed group of young men and women were served two bowls of hot vegetable soup without knowing the brands they were testing. Below is a record of the favorable comments as they rated different qualities registered by those who rated 2 to 1 for Heinz.

	Women	Men
Appearance	90%	68%
Flavour	100%	93%
Seasoning	68%	68%
Consistency	68%	75%

Many of those participating added such comments as: "Better than any canned soup I ever tasted" . . . "Much superior" . . . "Flavour like home-cooked." A co-ed among the men wrote: "I bowls a day would be OK."

Heinz Soups

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Temperature: 375°F. Time: 10 minutes

½ cup shortening
1½ cups brown sugar
2 eggs, unbeaten
1½ cups Ogilvie Oats
1½ cups Ogilvie all-purpose flour
½ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon baking soda
½ teaspoon ginger
½ teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon cloves

Measure shortening and sugar into a bowl; let stand well softened. Add unbeaten eggs; cream mixture until light and fluffy. Add Ogilvie Oats; blend well together. Sift flour and spices together three times; add to creamed mixture in three additions; chill 3 hours. Spoon small cookie sheet and flatten with the tines of a fork. Bake in a moderate oven. Yields 100 small cookies.

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VITA-B WELL GRAIN CEREAL

Bickessons Join McCarthy; Program Resumes Tonight

This Week's Radio

Don Allsche, screen and radio star, will do the emcee-ing honors on both the Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day editions of "Two Hours of Stars," the holiday programs to be presented over the network of the National Broadcasting Company.

Among the stars to be heard on the Thanksgiving Day broadcast are Jimmy Durante and Garry Moore, Red Skelton, Jack Benny, Vera Ellen, Marie Lenn, young opera star, and the team of Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis, currently the top comedy in the cafe society circuit.

Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy will appear on the Christmas Day show along with Bob Hope, Crosie and Harrier, Lauritz Melchior, Cass Daley and Danny Thomas.

Ken Carpenter will handle the announcing chores on both programs.

The opening broadcast of the Northern Electric Hour for the 1948-49 season will take place in Montreal on Monday evening, October 4. The program will feature music by the Northern Electric concert orchestra, under the direction of Allan McIver, Montreal, and the Canadian soprano, Jean Dickenson.

Since its inauguration in the Autumn of 1945, the English version of the broadcast originated in Toronto, with certain exchanges from Montreal for the French version. To five listeners added variety, the program will originate alternately from Montreal and Toronto this year.

JEAN DICKENSON

Miss Dickenson, known to her radio listeners as the "Nightingale of the Air Ways," was born in Montreal but has acquired a cosmopolitan background, having lived in India, South Africa, Great Britain and the United States.

Edgar Bergen has signed the popular "Bickersons" spot for the Autumn season of N.B.C's Charlie McCarthy program. Sketch includes the services of Don Ameche, writer Phil Rapp and Frances Langford, provided her bookings can be juggled to make broadcast appearances possible.

A male vocal quartet including Thurl Ravenscroft, Bill Lee, Bob Hamlin and Max Smith also has been added, Bergen said.

The Bergen stanza hits the air Sunday, Oct. 3, with regulars Charlie McCarthy, Mortimer Snerd, Pat Patrick as Emil Twing, Ken Carpenter and director Earl Ebi.

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A distinctly new radio program planned to prove that all-Canadian talent can successfully compete with that on American shows will be heard over a coast-to-coast network of C.B.C. stations each Sunday, commencing next October 3.

Assembling for the first time the recognized stars in Canadian radio talent the program will bring under single sponsorship—the Leslie Bell Singers, who make their debut on a commercially sponsored series; the brilliant young composer-conductor-arranger, Howard Cable, leading a 30-piece orchestra.

Charles Jordan, lyric baritone; and as announcer-narrator, John Scott, versatile young actor from Whitehorse, Yukon Territory.

Geo. Ezze W. Ljungh, top-flight producer will direct the show, which will include musical entertainment ranging from honey folk melodies to modern love songs—from simple tunes we whistle to the lasting classics by the masters.

Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

PETER GROWS CURIOUS ABOUT SOOTY

Now, up to the time that Johnny Chuck had informed Peter Rabbit that Sooty the Swift was not a swallow at all Peter had not been the least curious about Sooty. But the minute he found that he didn't know as much as he supposed he did about one of his neighbors, whom he saw every day in his life in summer, he just bubbled over with curiosity. He asked questions so fast that Johnny Chuck suddenly decided that it was time to go to bed. He dived down his long hall, leaving Peter sitting alone on his doorstep, and the last thing he heard as he curled up in his snug bedroom, way down in the ground was Peter's voice, asking wistfully, "Please, Johnny Chuck, where does Sooty live?"

But that was a question that Johnny felt unanswered, and after a little Peter made up his mind that there was no use in stepping there. So he left Johnny Chuck's house and went on across the Old Orchard until he had reached a place where, by sitting up, he could peep over the old stone wall on the edge of the Old Orchard and see Farmer Brown's house and a little of the dooryard. That great house and the things that went on in and around it always fascinated Peter. He often went to that particular place in the Old Orchard at that hour, just to stare at Farmer Brown's house and Farmer Brown's boy doing his evening duties, and Black Pussy sitting on the doorstep, waiting for her supper, and Bowser the Hound thumping the ground with his tail every time his master spoke to him or passed close by him. It was all very interesting to Peter and he never grew tired of it. Especially was he interested in that tail of Bowser's. He studied a great deal over that tail, or rather over the use Bowser made of it. If Bowser happened to be sitting or lying down where Farmer Brown's boy passed he thumped the ground with it. If he happened to be standing he wagged it from side to side.

Peter never could make out what it meant. The first time he had heard Bowser's tail thumping the ground he had thought that it was some kind of signal. You know, Peter himself signals Mrs. Peter by thumping the ground with his feet. But there never was any answering signal, and though he watched and watched, nothing ever happened. Finally Peter gave it trying to guess what it meant. You see, having no master himself, he couldn't know that it meant love.

But he never lost interest in watching Bowser and Black Pussy and Farmer Brown's boy. The black Shadows were creeping everywhere very fast now. A soft dusk which, you know, is the beginning of darkness, covered all things. "Chitter-chitter-chitter-chit-chit!" The voice of Sooty the Swift shouted joyously from right above Peter and made him look up. He was just in time to see a swift-moving little black form race over straight toward Farmer Brown's house. It brought back to Peter all the curiosity which Johnny Chuck had awakened, and for the moment he forgot everything else as he watched Sooty race through the air. Against the sky Peter could see Sooty very clearly.

Peter watched until Sooty was right over Farmer Brown's house. Then an astonishing thing happened. It seemed to Peter as if something happened to Sooty right in midair. One instant he was racing through the air as only Sooty can, and the next instant he seemed to be dropping straight down, fluttering querrly as if something had happened to his wings and he could no longer fly. Down, down, down, he dropped and disappeared. He had fallen into the great chimney on the top of Farmer Brown's house. There wasn't any doubt about it. Peter had seen it happen with his own eyes. It gave Peter a queer feeling. For a long time he waited to see if Sooty would come out again, but he didn't and at last Peter was forced to believe that something had happened, and that never again would he see Sooty the Swift or hear Sooty's joyous voice. The thought made Peter feel bad.

The Voice of Sooty the Swift Shouted Joyously

Next story: Peter Tells What He Saw and Is Laughed At.

(Released by Consolidated News Features.)

LUCKY STOWAWAY

HULL, England (CP).—Peter Russell, 18, who stowed away on a fishing trawler which made a 3,000-mile trip to Arctic fishing grounds, learned on returning here that the trawler's crew had voted him a share of profits from the 464,000-pound catch.

Tomorrow Night
October 4th
Hear
Hon. R. C. MacDonald
Minister of Mines and Municipal Affairs
Discuss
"Democracy at Work in Our Mining Industry"
CBR
10:15 P.M.

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Glimmer and Shimmer

Hollywood

Using a different plot and a realistic touch of telling the story, Twentieth Century-Fox has brought to the screen another dramatic, action-packed motion picture in "Cry Murder."

Co-starred in two sharply conflicting characterizations of the picture are Vince Mature as the murderer, homicide squad, and Richard Conte who plays a Brooklyn gangster whose overworked trigger-finger has gotten him into trouble with the law.

VICTOR MATURE

Robert Siodmak, who directed "The Spiral Staircase" and "The Killers," was selected by Darryl F. Zanuck to direct "Cry of the City."

Told against the background of New York's lower East Side, where most of the picture was actually filmed, "Cry of the City" is the story of two men. One representing the side of order and decency and the other the personification of greed and evil, it shows the struggle for supremacy between them.

As Vittoria Candella, Victor Mature plays the role of a serious officer of the police force who does his job without resorting to heroics and who does it with sympathy, consideration and decency. His assignment is to bring to justice the murderer of a fellow policeman. Martin Rome, tough, cruel, irresistible killer, is played by Richard Conte. Loved by many for his charm and humor, he brings misery and unhappiness to them during his life.

Films from the J. Arthur Rank Organization are taking on an international aspect these days with scenes for Gainsborough's "Christopher Columbus" being made in the West Indies; "The Huggetts Abroad" in Africa; "Scott of the Antarctic" in Antarctica, Norway and Switzerland, and "Eureka Stockade" in Australia.

RICHARD CONTE

Scenes for Esling's "Saraband" have recently been made in Technicolor in Austria: David Lean's "Heyerman" has been filmed in the French lake country. "The Red Shoes," the Archers' elaborate spectacle, has been filmed in Monte Carlo, and now Esling's "Tight Little Island" is being filmed in the remote Scottish island of Barra.

Future plans call for other companies to travel far and wide in quest of interesting locations.

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Final shooting of J. Arthur Rank's Technicolor story of the South Pacific, "The Blue Lagoon," was completed last week at Pinewood Studios.

This consummated a 18-year-old hope of Frank Launder. When he joined Gainsborough in 1935, he introduced the company to Sky Dick M. deVere Stacpoole story of adolescent love on a small Pacific island for his initial directorial choice.

In the meantime, Launder joined sydney Gilliat to form their own producing unit, Individual Pictures. Finally, early this year, Launder took Jean Simmons and a full company to the Fiji Islands where they spent months filming authentic Technicolor location shots.

The rest of the story has been filmed at Pinewood, including an exciting fight with a live octopus.

"The Blue Lagoon" will be released in this country through Universal-International early in 1949.

Sunrise and Sunset

OCTOBER

Time at sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of October 1948.

Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set	Date	Sun-rise	Sun-set
1	6.14	17.51	16	6.44	17.11
2	6.14	17.51	17	6.45	17.08
3	6.15	17.49	18	6.46	17.06
4	6.16	17.47	19	6.47	17.04
5	6.17	17.45	20	6.48	17.02
6	6.18	17.43	21	6.49	17.00
7	6.19	17.41	22	6.50	16.58
8	6.20	17.39	23	6.51	16.56
9	6.21	17.37	24	6.52	16.54
10	6.22	17.35	25	6.53	16.52
11	6.23	17.33	26	6.54	16.50
12	6.24	17.31	27	6.55	16.48
13	6.25	17.29	28	6.56	16.46
14	6.26	17.27	29	6.57	16.44
15	6.27	17.25	30	6.58	16.42
16	6.28	17.23	31	6.59	16.40

Determines Gifts, Christmas Shopping Victoria, B.C.

ENGLISH ORE

Most of Britain's ore is produced in England, especially in Cumberland, Lancashire and Staffordshire.

"Tapped" Sands See Towns Mushrooming

NEW YORK, Oct. 2 (NANA).—Towns now are mushrooming up in the heart of the Sahara Desert—where modern drilling methods have brought water gushing from underground lakes.

A dispatch from Algiers to the Paris newspaper Climats reports that a city of tents, where Bedouins squat with their camels, has appeared halfway between Chandala and Ouargla—where last June there were only red sand dunes. At the end of that month, drills of a mobile team sponsored by the French Colonial Administration hit water one mile down.

News of the strike spread rapidly through the desert and caravans moved toward it with such speed that by August it was a large settlement where date palms have been planted by the banks of the new brook, giving it the traditional aspect of the African oasis.

Bogota, Colombia, had two universities before Harvard opened.

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No. 36
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DAIRIES
Northwestern Creamery, Ltd. E mpire 7147
Island Farms Co-operative Assn. B eacon 3151
Palm Dairies, Limited G arden 3232
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STATEMENT OF FUNDS AVAILABLE AND REQUIREMENTS AS AT AUGUST 31, 1948

Funds Available—		
Cash in hand	$18,059.90	
Dominion of Canada Bonds (at cost) (Market Value $15,450.00)	15,000.00	
Pledges receivable (estimated)	4,500.00	$37,559.90
Requirements—		
Commitments to agencies and administration for 11 months ending June 30, 1949	$17,900.96	
Additional requirements of agencies to December 31, 1948	36,014.00	53,914.96
Excess of requirements over funds available as at August 31, 1948		$16,355.06

We have examined the above statement of funds available and requirements as at August 31, 1948, and report that in our opinion the Community Chest of Greater Victoria have other funds or investments with which to meet their requirements as at August 31, 1948.

Tenser, Boisten, Dunn & Co., Chartered Accountants.

Everyone Who Needs Help or Guidance Is Assisted

Listed Are the Agencies Receiving Community Chest Moneys:

Family Welfare and Children's Aid Society—
Protects and cares for children, and provides guidance and solution to the problems which would bring heartaches and suffering to thousands of our citizens.

Victorian Order of Nurses—
Provides bedside care to the sick, instruction to expectant mothers, and health instruction in the homes.

Fred Lansbery's Sunshine Camp—
Provides a camp for those recommended by Victoria's welfare agencies.

Canadian National Institute for the Blind—
Provides instruction, work, play and a new life for Greater Victoria's more than 100 blind.

Y.M.C.A., Jamas Bay Community Centre, Esquimalt Community Centre, Y.W.C.A., Boys Scouts' Association, Recreation Council, Citizens' Recreation Rooms—
These six agencies are working for and with all ages in the community endeavoring to keep our city physically, morally and spiritually strong. The Community Chest does not support but merely tabulates these agencies.

Esquimalt Friendly Help, Oak Bay Friendly Help, Woman's Workroom—
Composed of volunteers who give advice and aid to help meet problems to provide assistance for needy cases not otherwise provided for.

Canadian Welfare Council, Community Welfare Council—
This agency is the coordinating force for welfare services from national, provincial and community bases.

Jubilee Hospital—
Provides rehabilitation and friendship for patients.

St. Vincent de Paul Society, St. Vincent de Paul Auxiliary—
These organizations provide guidance and assistance for less fortunate families.

Colombia Coast Mission—
The Chest grant provides operating costs for the mission ship John Antle.

St. Joseph's Auxiliary—
Its auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital, whose grant replaces original tag day.

AMOUNTS REQUIRED BY THE AGENCIES FOR 1949

Canadian National Institute for the Blind	$ 4,200.00
Citizens' Recreation Rooms	1,417.00
Community Welfare Council	3,525.00
Esquimalt Community Centre	2,000.00
James Bay Community Centre	3,000.00
Esquimalt Friendly Help	900.00
John Howard Society	3,000.00
Oak Bay Friendly Help	500.00
Recreation Council	3,700.00
Social Service Index	600.00
Sunshine Camp	4,000.00
Victorian Order of Nurses	10,365.00
Women's Workroom	500.00
Y.M.C.A.	16,220.00
Canadian Welfare Council	750.00
Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital	1,624.00
Auxiliary to St. Vincent de Paul	1,100.00
Boys Scouts' Association	2,023.00
Columbia Coast Mission	1,500.00
Family Welfare and Children's Aid Society	58,083.40
St. Vincent de Paul	849.00
Y.W.C.A.	16,484.00
Campaign expenses, administration and emergency grants	15,000.00
Expenses for 12th month and unforeseen agency requirements	22,939.60 $190,000.00

THE TRUTH IS ALWAYS ENLIGHTENING:

There have been so many stated reasons by individuals as to why they could not give their support to the Community Chest that it has become a duty to the public to state in detail and are for the purpose of answering the most questions which have been in the periodical.

We know that you, the people of this community, will support anything for the common good that is being honestly managed and is worthwhile. We also know that in spite of the failings in our democratic way of life in Canada, it is by far the best in the world today. All of us look forward to the time when the Community Chest and what it stands for, will not be necessary. This Chest was only done in two of the whole about in the brotherhood of man. Your support of the Community Chest at this time is a vote of confidence in the future of our city and country. Let us be one of the people who say, "The whole thing is rotten," then not be able to give a reason why.

When you are asked to support either financially or by giving your time, remember that the right of choice is yours, your own conscience must answer. Take time to see and know the humane workings of the organizations supported.

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P.S.—The new Government 3% Tax for social assistance is NOT applicable to the agencies helped by the Community Chest.

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Daily Astrology

By RITA DEL MAR

For Sunday, October 3, 1948.
Today's Quotation:
"The spirit of good is to all men. It is the part of man that is akin to God. By listening to it, by making it our guide, we can grow like God—fit ourselves to become His comrade, His fellow-laborer."
—Jerome K. Jerome.

Sunday for Everyone:

You should have a pleasant day, particularly if you get around and see your friends, neighbours and relatives. Don't be a "stay at home" today; exert yourself to be companionable.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19—(Aries)—Be your most likable self in the company of friends. Get-together afford you pleasure.

April 20 to May 20—(Taurus)—Think of things you can do for those about you. Clothes need some attention.

May 21 to June 20—(Gemini)—Seek to realize a cherished objective. Your popularity rating is increasing.

June 21 to July 22—(Cancer)—Seek to cement your position with someone in the domestic scene. Entertain in your own surroundings.

July 23 to August 22—(Leo)—Make journeys which are fairly close at hand. Gain more amicable relationships with others.

August 23 to September 22—(Virgo)—Be ready to help another out of difficulty. Accent friendliness, favors.

September 23 to October 22—(Libra)—Make contacts. Take the initiative where called upon. Make constructive changes and visits.

October 23 to November 21—(Scorpio)—Be with those whom you find congenial. Lend a hand where needed. Pay a call on a shut-in.

November 22 to December 21—(Sagittarius)—Perspective is much better. You are enabled to get matters going in a way which will benefit you.

December 22 to January 19—(Capricorn)—Be considerate of home folks; those closest your heart. Attend to work if necessary.

January 20 to February 18—(Aquarius)—Talk things over with those about you; this proves helpful, interesting.

February 19 to March 20—(Pisces)—Let others shoulder part of the financial burden. Sunday. Don't be wasteful with funds, v. lakity.

Planning Ahead—Good for sociability, entertaining, etc.: October 3, 6, 7, 8, 10; daytime of 12, 14, 23.

For Monday, October 4, 1948
Today's Quotation — "To get all there is out of living we must employ our time wisely; never being in too much of a hurry to stop and see life, but never losing our sense of the enormous value of a minute."—Robert R. Updegraff.

Monday for Everyone — Financial and social matters are important today and they should be handled carefully. Be discreet, tactful, economical. Neither loan or borrow if you can possibly avoid doing so.

Look for your birthdate and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19—(Aries)—Get financial obligations cleared up and expect others to do the same. Be tactful.

April 20 to May 20—(Taurus)—Listen to folks about you. Allow them to express the initiative.

May 21 to June 20—(Gemini)—Eliminate elements which impair your health. Attend to chores.

June 21 to July 22 — (Cancer)—Clear obstructions and limitations away. Attitudes are in for some revision.

July 23 to August 22—(Leo)—Be considerate of home folks, elders. Practical issues demand some time.

August 23 to September 22 (Virgo)—Accent an economical course. Express yourself. Visit kin and those nearby.

September 23 to October 22 (Libra)—After set-ups constructively. Give some thought to monetary matters.

October 23 to November 21 (Scorpio)—Be conscientious in fulfilling obligations, performing tasks. Prepare for revisions.

November 22 to December 21—(Sagittarius)—Indulge an inclination to be off by yourself. Get odds and ends of dealings cleared away.

December 22 to January 19 (Capricorn)—Be alert regarding economy matters linked with your work. Confidential action is urged.

January 20 to February 18—(Aquarius)—Look after the needs and wants of the family. Strive to get ahead; mind your manners.

February 19 to May 20—(Pisces)—Devote this day to looking ahead and deciding future moves or revising arrangements.

Planning Ahead—Good for sociability, entertaining, etc.: October 6, 8, 9, 10; daytime of 13, 17, 18; daytime of 20; daytime of 25, 26.

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Tides at Victoria

OCTOBER

Date	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	H.M.	F.	H.M.	F.	H.M.	F.	H.M.	F.
1	1.02	7.1	7.34	4.4	13.40	7.0	19.16	4.2
2	1.41	7.7	8.08	4.0	14.07	6.9	20.10	4.3
3	2.18	8.2	8.41	3.6	14.35	6.8	21.05	4.5
4	2.54	8.6	9.14	3.3	15.05	6.6	22.00	4.8
5	3.34	8.9	9.51	3.1	15.41	6.3	22.56	5.0
6	4.17	8.9	10.34	3.0	16.24	6.0	23.50	5.2
7	5.05	8.7	11.22	3.0	17.16	5.6		
8	5.57	8.3			18.12	5.2	0.45	5.4
9	6.52	7.8	12.16	3.2	19.09	4.8	1.42	5.5
10	7.48	7.2	13.12	3.4	20.05	4.5	2.37	5.5
11	8.40	6.7			21.00	4.3		
12	9.31	6.2			21.54	4.2		
13	10.20	5.8			22.46	4.2		
14	11.08	5.4	0.05	5.6	23.37	4.3	12.02	4.4
15	11.56	5.1	0.54	5.3			12.50	4.4
16	12.44	4.9	1.43	5.1	12.32	4.6	13.39	4.4
17	13.34	4.8	2.37	4.9	13.21	4.9	14.30	4.4
18	14.27	4.8	3.33	4.8	14.12	5.2	15.23	4.5
19	15.19	4.9	4.28	4.8	15.03	5.5	16.17	4.6
20	16.11	5.0	5.24	4.9	15.57	5.8	17.09	4.8
21					16.51	6.1	18.01	5.0
22	0.19	5.1			17.45	6.3		
23	1.09	5.1			18.38	6.5		
24	2.00	5.1			19.31	6.6		
25	2.48	5.1			20.24	6.7		
26	3.33	5.0	12.46	6.8	21.17	6.6	0.01	4.4
27	4.18	5.0	13.37	6.8	22.09	6.5	0.52	4.6
28	5.06	5.1	14.26	6.8	23.01	6.3	1.42	4.8
29	5.54	5.2	15.14	6.8	23.52	6.1	2.31	5.0
30	6.42	5.3	16.02	6.8	24.43	5.9	3.20	5.2
31			16.51	6.7			4.09	5.3

The data used in Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian, near Victoria, is derived from 6 to 18 hours. Time adjustments for other longitudes are: Add 3 minutes for each degree. Minus high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table the tide does not rise or fall below the level of the preceding tide, without crossing.

GREATER VICTORIA EVENING CLASSES

REOPEN DURING THE WEEK OCTOBER 4th to 8th—1948
AT 7.30 P.M.

ENROLL on the opening night at the school and in the room where the desired course is to be given.

Classes Must as Follows:

Monday Only:
Sheet Metal Drafting (Tec.)

Tuesday Only:
Boat Building (V.H.S.)—Choral Singing for Ladies (V.H.S.)—Elem. Commercial Art (V.H.S.)—Cooking (V.H.S.)—Golf and Tournaking (V.H.S.)—Dress-making afternoon class (V.H.S.)—Horticulture (V.H.S.)—Leathercraft (C.J.H.)—Public Speaking (V.H.S.)—Short Story Writing (V.H.S.)—Supervisory Training (V.H.S.).

Wednesday Only:
Millinery (C.J.H.).

Thursday Only:
Aeronautical Engineering — Commercial Art, advanced — Community Activities—Current World Affairs—Journalism (All at V.H.S.).

Friday Only:
Armature Winding (Tec.) — Auto Engineering (K.P.)—Diesel Engineering (Tec.)—Elementary Oil and Water Color Painting (C.J.H.).

Monday and Wednesday:
Oil and Water Color Painting (C.J.H.) note change of syllabus.

Monday and Thursday:
Wood Carving (C.J.H.).

Tuesday and Wednesday:
Plumbing (K.B.)

Tuesday and Thursday:
Art Metalwork (Tec.) — Bookkeeping (V.H.S.)—Building Construction (V.H.S.)—Dramatics (V.H.S.)—Dressmaking (V.H.S., C.J.H., O.B.)—Electricity (Tec.)—French (V.H.S.) — German (V.H.S.) — General Metalwork (M.V.)—Oil and Water Color Painting (O.B.) — Practical Mathematics (V.H.S.) — Radio Construction (V.H.S.)—Russian (V.H.S.)—Sculpture and Design (3099 Richmond) — Shorthand (V.H.S.) — Steam Engineering (V.H.S.) — Typing (V.H.S.) — Technical Drafting (C.J.H.) — Woodwork (C.J.H., O.B., M.V. and Q.).

Wednesday and Friday:
Machine Shop Practice (Tec.).
V.H.S.—Victoria High School.
C.J.H.—Central Junior High.
Tec.—Technical Building, 930 Balmoral.
M.V.—Milnes View High School.
K.P.—Kitchen Point Junior High.
O.B.—Old Oak Bay High School.

NOTE—Registrations for the Dressmaking classes at the Market Building may be made in the building from 10 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 4 p.m. daily, during the week of October 4 to 8 inclusive. Instruction for this course will commence on October 18.

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Cleveland Assured Of Tie for Pennant

Remain Game Ahead of Boston as Bearden Blanks Tigers—Red Sox Eliminate Yanks

(By Canadian Press)

Cleveland Indians have assured themselves of at least a tie in the red-hot American League pennant chase.

The Indians today advanced within one game of capturing their first pennant in 28 years by routing Detroit Tigers 8-0 at Cleveland's wind-swept Municipal Stadium.

The game was never in doubt after the fourth inning, but the large bellow day gathering of 56,238 had several uneasy moments, especially early in the game.

Boston Red Sox remained a game behind Cleveland in the pennant fight and of the same time climbed the Yanks for contention by beating New Yorkers, 6-1, on the effective Ave-bit pitching of Jack Kramer.

The Indians can clinch the pennant by defeating Detroit tomorrow. A Boston loss to New York will also give the Indians the flag. However, should Cleveland lose tomorrow and Boston win, the two teams will finish in a tie, necessitating a playoff in Boston Monday.

The Washington Senators, literally sprinkled with second strippers and rookies, hammered a 7-1 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics today.

BRAVES BREAK EVEN

In the National League, Warren Spahn and Johnny Sain made their final pre-world series tuneups today as the pennant-winning Boston Braves split a double-header with the New York Giants, winning the second game, 2-1, after losing the opener, 3-2.

After blowing a four-run first-inning lead, the Brooklyn Dodgers put over a clutch run in the sixth inning and Preacher Roe made it stand for a 3-4 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies.

Roe, relieving Carl Erskine, performed only one hit in three and two-third innings to receive credit for his 12th victory against eight losses.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Detroit	000 000 000—0	1	2
Cleveland	000 000 000—8	1	2

Batteries—Trucks, Trout, Ostrowski, Ai and Wolff; Bearden and Hegan.

	R	H	E
New York	000 000 100—1	3	0
Boston	200 100 00x—3	9	0

Batteries—Byrne, Page, Sain, Reynolds and Berra; Kramer and Astroth, Hook (7).

	R	H	E
Washington	000 000 000—0	4	0
Philadelphia	000 000 000—1	6	0

Batteries—Scarborough, Wolf (7), and Evans; Marchildon, Harris (7), McCahan, Scheinblum and Hayes.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R	H	E
First Game			
New York	000 000 200—2	8	0
Boston	000 200 100—3	9	1

Batteries—Spahn, Barrett (8) and Sal; Sain, Bickford (9) and Cooper.

	R	H	E
Second Game—			
New York	010 010 000—2	8	1
Boston	000 000 100—1	7	0

Batteries—Rudolph, Kennedy (8) and Mueller; Sain, Vinso (8) and Mahi.

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	000 020 000—2	6	1
Brooklyn	000 003 00x—3	7	0

Batteries—Roberts, Fornieli (5), Heintzelman and Seminick; Erskine, Roe (7) and Campanella.

	R	H	E
Chicago	000 000 000—0	4	1
St. Louis	000 000 000—0	4	1

Batteries—Schmitz, Dickey (8), Chesnes and Mancuso; Munger and McCullough, Brazle (8) and Rice.

Council Plans To Invite Sports Groups

TORONTO, Oct. 2 (CP)—Representatives from all Canadian sports governing bodies, amateur and professional, will be invited to a meeting in Ottawa, January 7-8 organized by the National Physical Fitness Council, it was announced here today.

Joe H. Rose of Calgary, chairman of the council, who attended a meeting of the executive committee of the Canadian Olympic Association today said in an interview the "session would give representatives an opportunity to "iron out any problems they might have."

"What happens at the meeting will entirely be in hands of those who attend. The council will not accept any responsibility for governing sport in Canada. Our idea is to get members of the governing bodies together in a neutral atmosphere.

"It might be called a Canadian sports congress."

Rose declined to give further details.

The COA meeting, presided over by President A. Sidney Dawes of Montreal, was held in camera.

Five C's Take Friendly Game From The Rest

Victoria and District Cricket Association wound up the season's activity with a friendly match between the league champions Fire C's and the Rest. Churchmen won the game, scoring 106 for five wickets to opponents' 102 all out.

The Rest, batting first, made a good start and in the free-scoring affair as Shanks of Albions led the side with 27 runs, followed by Dong Day of Ex-R.A.F. with 14. Oakman, Wang and Mason, all of Albion, and Jaggs of Ex-R.A.F. were other batsmen to reach double figures.

Charlie Payne put up 41 runs and Charlie Pugh 35 to spark the C's victory. Alan Griffin and Tom Harper got 14 and 12, respectively, in the innings that showed 106 runs for six wickets in an hour and ten minutes.

Line-ups follow:

REST

Bradley, b. O. Payne
Shanks, run out
Shanks, run out
Harper, c. Griffin, b. Payne
Day, c. Griffin, b. Pugh
Wang, lbw, b. Harper
Mason, c. Griffin, b. Payne
Jaggs, c. Griffin, b. Pugh
Wardroff, b. Payne
Oakman, run out
McDonald, c. Griffin, b. Pugh
Tanner

Total 101

FIRE C'S

O. Payne, c. Wang, b. Day
Griffin, c. Day, b. Jaggs
Pugh, run out
Jones, b. Day
Harper, c. Day, b. Jaggs
Payne, c. Oakman
Hughes, run out
Hughes, run out
Total 106

Wickets, Fire C's, 6; Rest, 10.

Three Farm Sports On U.S. Golf Team

CHICAGO, Oct. 2 (CP)—Lloyd Mangrum, Ben Hogan and Jimmy Demaret have clinched places on the 1949 Ryder Cup team, the P.G.A. announced today.

In points necessary for selection, Mangrum finished 7th, Demaret 572 and Mangrum 571 for a wide margin over all contenders.

The matches against the British will be held September 28 and 17 at Ganton, near Scarborough in England.

Mangrum, who has played in 11 competitive medal play tournaments outside this season, still holds the money earning lead with a total of $32,969.50. Hogan, in 21 competitive rounds, is second with $31,247.

CANADIENS WIN

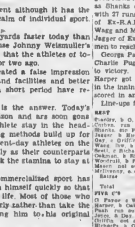
WINNIPEG, Oct. 2 (CP)—Montreal Canadiens tonight defeated Winnipeg all-stars 7-3 in an exhibition hockey game here.

Schroeder Makes Prediction Good; Defeats Gonzales

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 2 (AP)—Davis Cup Star Ted Schroeder today whipped—as he had predicted—Richard (Pancho) Gonzales in the semi-finals of the Pacific Southwest tennis tournament 6-2, 4-6, 7-5 and 10-8.

It was a beautiful match throughout with Schroeder driving hard at Gonzales' weak backhand. Gonzales' much heralded service connected for 24 aces.

The match, thus made good Schroeder's boast that he could have copped the national singles title at Forest Hills last month. Gonzales, a Mexican lad from Los Angeles, won the crown in surprising fashion.



Are times and distances the correct gauge in comparing athletes of today with those of a decade or more ago? Argue a man who is convinced that the moderns have it all over their fathers and grandfathers in athletic ability and he will invariably confront you with the figures of time or distance.

At its best, this is not a good argument although it has the merit of some logic, particularly in the realm of individual sport. But it does not tell the true story.

Because Mel Patton can run the 100 yards faster today than Frank Wykoff did 15 years ago and because Johnny Weismuller's swim records have been erased by more recent athletes of to-day are superior to those of a generation or two ago.

The modern mania for records has created a false impression of athletic ability. Improved equipment and facilities and better coaching plus specialized endeavor for a short period have resulted in better times and distances.

"For a 'short period." In that phrase is the answer. Today's athletic heroes sit across the sports horizon and are soon gone and forgotten. Seldom does a modern athlete stay in the headlines long. Why? Because modern coaching methods build up for a short, sustained effort and because present-day athletes on the whole are not willing to train as rigorously as their counterparts of a few years back. Consequently, they lack the stamina to stay at the top for long.

Then, too, the current trend of commercialized sport has every top-notch athlete planning to enrich himself quickly so that he can give up his training for an easier life. Most of those who find the road to the top rocky drop out early rather than take the chance that diligent training might bring him to his original goal.

There is another thought as well. Sport now is a cold calculating venture and athletes in the main tend to lose their individuality. The colorful figures of the past are seldom any more. True, attendance figures are up but this is attributable to better promotion and more thoughtfulness of the paying customer, the lifeblood of every successful sport. But where are the Ruths, Deans, Cobbs, Hagens, Sarazens, Tildens, Dempseys and Conachers?

Random Harvest

Bernie Clarkson is to attend **a Brooklyn Dodgers'** training camp next season and may eventually follow Brother Reg into the salaried baseball ranks. . . Cobb fishing at **Cowichan** Bay is good now and will improve. Most boats out yesterday brought back fish. . . **Joe Kirkwood, Jr.,** son of the little shot, golf expert plays **Joe Palooka** in the movies . . . **Reg Clarkson** is back after a baseball season spent with **Fort Worth, Mobile and Pueblo,** all Brooklyn farm clubs . . . **Vic Maile** is credited with an even .300 batting mark in the final unofficial **Eastern League averages** and led all the leading hitters listed in driving in runs . . . Judged on 34 first two games, **Victoria Cougar** looks like an improved club and figures to improve as the younger players acquire additional experience . . . **Bud White** was voted the most popular player on the **Brassman** club this season . . . **Basketball officials are still undecided about the Alberni application** for a berth in the senior "A" league. The Up-Island club is strong enough to hold its own but the problem and cost of transportation may be a deterring factor.

GUESSING DEPARTMENT: **Cleveland over Detroit and New York over Boston** in today's crucial **American League games. Batting average to date—At bat 163, hits 226, percentage .704.**

Misses Dive for Loose Ball

Apparently suspended in mid-air, an Oak Bay Goblins player is seen above lunging for loose ball following fumbled kick in yesterday's grid game between Goblins and Cougar. Cougar players coming on right are Buddy French, who eventually recovered ball, and Al Danoni (No. 3). Lineman Harry Zaruk is seen at left. Cougars won the game, 29-6.

—Colonist Photo.

Jockey Club Stake Taken by Citation

NEW YORK, Oct. 2 (AP)—Citation took a neck by Eddie Arcaro for another joy ride today, and the great Calumet farm thoroughbred champion ambled home in eight easy lengths to win the $18,800 Jockey Club Gold Cup at Belmont Park.

Second was C. V. Whitney's Phalanx, victor in the race a year ago, and this time he was never even close. The Chilean horse Benedicto was third. The time, 3:31-3-5, was the same as Phalanx's 1947 clocking.

Citation went off at 30 cents on the dollar. He paid $2.60 to win and $2.20 to place. Those who wagered on Phalanx got $3.30 for place.

Intercity Tilt Features Hoopla Opener

Victoria and District Basketball Association will usher in the season on Wednesday night at Victoria High School gym with Chinese Students opening a round of games in senior "B" contest at 7.30.

Feature game of the evening will be an assist "A" fixture pitting Port Alberni against Eagles at 8 o'clock.

Archie McKinnon will get the season officially under way by tossing up the first ball.

Fans will be treated to some added attractions during the period between games when the Eagles Clown Band performs and 12 Pre-Her students give a tumbling display.

Cyclists Wind-Up Season Saturday

Victoria Cycling Club will hold its last race meet of the season next Saturday at Beacon Hill starting at 2 p.m. Starting point for all events will be in front of the deer pen, with riders covering the mile loop around the hill.

Seniors are competing in a ten-mile grind, while juniors and girls each go for five. All races are for Island Building Supply trophies with Mainland and American riders expected to compete. Entry forms are available at B. J. Smith & Son, Douglas Street.

CARPET BOWLING

Teams wishing to enter the carpet bowling leagues must have their entries in the hands of the secretary at the Britannia Branch by 8 p.m. Wednesday, it was decided at the annual meeting of the Victoria Carpet Bowling League.

Baseball Standings

AMERICAN LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	96	57	.627
Boston	96	57	.627
New York	94	59	.615
Detroit	91	60	.603
St. Louis	84	68	.553
Chicago	74	78	.487
Philadelphia	39	97	.287
Washington	39	97	.287

NATIONAL LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Boston	91	59	.607
Brooklyn	84	66	.560
St. Louis	81	69	.540
New York	79	69	.534
Philadelphia	66	81	.449
Pittsburgh	62	87	.416
Cincinnati	59	89	.399
Chicago	39	109	.263

Baseball's Big Six

By The Associated Press

(Three leaders each group)

	AB	R	H	Pct.
Mueller, Cleveland	152	29	58	.382
Williams, Red Sox	127	32	48	.378
Boudreau, Indians	150	30	54	.360
Stephens, Red Sox	151	31	54	.358
Doerr, Boston	170	42	60	.353
Dark, Boston	128	24	45	.352

Runs batted in—American League: Mueller, Yankees 123; Stephens, Red Sox, 120; Williams, Red Sox, 118. National League: Musial, Cardinals, 138; Slaughter, Cardinals, 124; Kiner, Pirates, 123.

Runs—American League: Williams, Red Sox, 127; Doerr, Boston, 125; Stephens, Red Sox, 125. National League: Musial, Cardinals, 135; Kiner, Pirates, 125.

Hits—American League: Mueller, Yankees, 181; Doerr, Boston, 170; Vollmer, Tigers, 170. National League: Musial, Cardinals, 207; Kiner, Pirates, 175.

Hogan Gets Tie for Lead With Spectacular Golf

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 2 (AP)—Banning Ben Hogan, testing the course spirit with a seven-under-par 65, made a spectacular comeback today to tie Johnny Palmer for the lead in the Portland open golf tournament with a three-round total of 202.

The largest gallery of the week, running into thousands, was treated to a display of championship golf as Hogan moved 31-34 for the Portland Country Club course. It plays to a par 35-37—72.

Hogan, the favorite, had teed off for his third round today three strokes behind Palmer and four in back of Fred Haas, Jr.—the late tiffie pacesetter at the half-way mark. Haas fell by the wayside to lose his advantage. He needed three putts on a couple of greens and carded a 77 for a 54-hole total of 205.

Still the tournament favorite Hogan had posted rounds of 67-71-65.

On the round today Hogan ran down short and long putts for birdies on the last four holes of the first nine and the 10th, 11th and 18th. Palmer, meanwhile, kept pace, with an eagle 3 on the 506-yard 15th, where he hit the ball to within three feet of the cup. However, he missed a four-footer on the 18th, enabling him a chance to become the undisputed leader. Palmer carded a 34-34—68 for today's rounds.

OLIVER HAS 66

Haas, losing the lead in the third round, ended in a tie at 205 with Ed Oliver of Seattle. Oliver gained ground with a fine 32-33—65.

Sly Middleoff moved up with a 67, giving him a three-round total of 207. Vic Ghezzi shot a 69 to end up in the 208 bracket.

Last year's winner here, Charles Congdon of Tacoma, had a 71 for a total 212 while ex-U.S. Open Champion Lloyd Mangrum could do no better than a par 72 for a 214.

Former national amateur titleholder Skee Riegel of Upper Darby, Pa., also had a 65 in the round to lead the Bloom-Pures.

Henry Martell of Edmonton, Alta., turned in a 74 today for a 54-hole total of 223. Ernie Vaile of Vancouver scored a 68 for 227, while Hughie Morrison, also of Vancouver, ended the third day of play with a 151-79—224.

The leading scorers were:

Ben Hogan, 67-71-65—202
John Palmer, 68-66-68—202
Fred Haas, Jr., 68-70-77—205
Ed Oliver, 67-73-65—205
Sly Middleoff, 71-69-67—207
Vic Ghezzi, 70-68-69—207
Lloyd Mangrum, 71-71-72—214
Edwards Vinn, 71-72-69—212
Ed Furgol, 71-70-71—212
Jay Hebert, 73-69-71—213
John Lazarff, 72-69-69—211
Clyde Hamilton, 72-71-71—214
Harry Farrell, 72-68-74—214
Ken Kavanaugh, 72-71-71—214
Dave Douglas, 72-71-69—212

Qualifying Round In Women's Golf Scheduled Today

Victoria Golf Club will stage the qualifying round of the women's championship tomorrow, starting at noon. Draw follows, with pairings accepted:

12 p.m.—Mrs. H. Paterson vs. Miss P. Bagley.

12 p.m.—Mrs. L. J. Proctor vs. Mrs. H. Hubbard.

12:10 p.m.—Miss M. Campbell vs. Mrs. J. R. Wilson.

12:15 p.m.—Mrs. O. A. Simons vs. Mrs. T. Mann.

12:20 p.m.—Mrs. A. W. Hunt vs. Miss T. Hamilton.

12:25 p.m.—Mrs. W. Stanbury vs. Mrs. I. Mottershed.

12:30 p.m.—Mrs. H. A. Tomalin vs. Mrs. R. B. Wilson.

12:35 p.m.—Mrs. W. B. Leach vs. Miss J. Warner.

12:40 p.m.—Mrs. J. Phethean vs. Mrs. D. Marvin.

12:45 p.m.—Mrs. A. Nash vs. Mrs. M. Gillespie.

12:50 p.m.—Mrs. D. Palmer vs. Mrs. A. B. Gonnason.

The Bombereettes junior girls basketball team will hold a practice at the Centennial gymnasium on Tuesday at 8 p.m. Any girls 16 years or under wishing to play are invited to attend.

Scots Upset by Royals

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 2 (CP)—New Westminster Royals made their first appearance in Pacific Coast League a winning one by handing the ex-Dominion champs a 3-1 defeat.

The conflict was a thriller. Of unknown quality, the Royals surprised the ex-Dominion champs with their get-up-and-go.

However, Winning put his mates in front when he scored from a scramble at the five-minute mark.

Then midway through the half, Centre-forward John Lelson scored the best goal of the day. Leaping high in the air, Lelson timed left Winger Bill Thomas' cross perfectly, heading the ball into the net to make the score 2-0. Neither side was able to score the remainder of the half.

Goalie Stewart tallied the lone Sit. Andrews goal from a scramble 12 minutes into the second half.

Given a penalty kick in the first minutes of play when Scots' back, Steve Devenny, tripped Winning, the Royals missed a chance to take the lead. Dave Cairns shooting wide of the net.

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Kimberley Whips Stampeders, 6-2, In Puck Preview

KIMBERLEY, B.C., Oct. 2 (CP)—The Kimberley Dynamiters today blasted a 6-2 victory over the Calgary Stampeders in a pre-hockey-season exhibition Opener here before 2,000 fans.

The Dynamiters opened the game on the run and had the Prairie boys in a tizzy. Kimberley had a 3-0 lead in the first minutes.

Coaxing the Dynamiters into the lead, the Kimberley team scored from a scramble 12 minutes into the second half.

Thomas, Nelson Purchased By Coast Clubs

SPOKANE, Oct. 2 (AP)—Pacific Coast League clubs have bought two star players from Nelson Royals Indians, champions of the Western International League.

A club official said today that Shortstop Leo Thomas has been purchased by the Portland Beavers and Pitcher Frank Nelson will go to the Oakland Acorns. Both deals were made, on a 30-day "look" basis with final agreement to be made during Spring training.

Thomas started the season at third base for the Nelson Royals and shifted to shortstop where he spanked the Spokane pitchers for .311 .239 for the fourth best mark in the club.

Nelson won 24 games for the Spokane team while losing ten. He pitched 11 complete games for a new league record in that department.

College Football

By The Associated Press

EAST

Brown 22, Princeton 20
Dartmouth 34, Colgate 7
Yale 7, Connecticut 0
Cornell 13, Harvard 7
Pennsylvania 7, Bucknell 0
Navy 26, Villanova 0
Penn State 48, Rutgers 0
Pittsburgh 19, Syracuse 0
Penn State 48, Bucknell 0
Boston College 27, Temple 0
Holy Cross 20, Boston U. 0
Harvard 32, Columbia 14

MIDWEST

Michigan State 49, Marquette 21
Ohio State 55, Iowa 0
Ohio State 55, Iowa 0
Michigan 49, Northwestern 0
Minnesota 49, Nebraska 0
Wisconsin 27, Iowa 7
Washington U. 26, Lamar 18, Carnegie Tech 6

SOUTHWEST

Oklahoma 34, Vanderbilt 14
Oklahoma 34, Vanderbilt 14
Texas Christian 33, Baylor 13
Virginia 26, Virginia Tech 0
Duke 7, Georgia 0
Duke 7, Georgia 0
South Carolina 21, Georgia 14
Texas A. and M. 14, Oklahoma 48

FAR WEST

Washington 14, Oregon State 14
U.C.L.A. 33, Idaho 0
California 20, Idaho 0
Stanford 20, Oregon 14, Stanford 7

Wanderers, J.B.A.A. Win Opening Rugby Fixtures

Oak Bay Wanderers' second division team handed Junior Services Colleges a 6-0 defeat in the feature match of yesterday's initial Kangaroo rugby program at Macdonald Park. On the lower field, J.B.A.A. trounced H.M.C.S. Naden, 21-0 in another second division fixture.

Rear Admiral R. O. G. Wolf, R.C.N., kicked off the first ball of the officially open the season.

Wanderers took a 3-0 halftime lead in Jerry Cowing week end. Main's unconverted try. Shortly after the Oak Bay score, Cadets lost a chance to square matters when Tunnicliff missed a penalty kick from 35 yards out. The kick was awarded again for an Oak Bay infraction, Tunnicliff missing the second attempt.

Irving Young gave Wanderers a six-point edge midway through the second half by crashing over for a try near touch. Cowing was wide from a difficult angle. John Olsen showed a touch of the old kicking when he took a penalty kick from midfield and put the ball to touch in Royal Roads' goal mouth. Jim Mills scored from the lineout making it 6-0 for Oak Bay. Olsen's attempted convert was low.

SAYS TOO STRONG

J.B.A.A. had little difficulty in handling the Navy squad in the other game. After building up an 8-0 margin in the first half, Oscar man took advantage of their opponent lack of experience to count 16 points in the final half. Wilson Of Bays turned in a good game, scoring one try and converting two others.

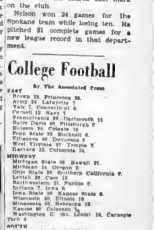
In a third division match at Colwille Road grounds, Wanderers defeated J.B.A.A. by 24-0 score. After 20 minutes of play Phil Meisner romped through for a try to send Oak Bay ahead. Dick Kay split the posts on the convert to make it 5-0. Forty yards some where Graham Cox booted a penalty kick for three points. During the second half Jack Morgan increased Wanderers lead to 8-0 on a try near the corner flag. The convert was wide.

The other third division contest saw Canadian Scottish Cadets battle to a scoreless draw with the Radets entry. Although both sides came close to scoring on several occasions the defence withstood the attack.

The Radets produced the better balanced team as Scots had difficulty on their backfield for strength.

First division teams will play their second games of the season next Saturday at Macdonald Park. The Junior Services Colleges, Victoria College and Navy comprise this section. Schedule of games for the first division will be announced following the Rugby Union meeting tomorrow.

Diamond Rush!



Harried Tom Levinsky at Bruins field in Boston, Mass., is busy with flood of applications that are now pouring in as Boston Braves have got pennant-on-ice. First application, which he holds aloft, assures Robert Purtman, Belmont, Mass., of seeing all home games of the club. Who Braves opponents will be is not, of course, known at this time.

Outclassed Goblins Take Trouncing from Cougars

A junior edition of the Victoria Cougars packed too much power and too-big a variety of plays for Oak Bay Goblins and walked off the field with a 29-6 victory in the Canadian football game at Royal Athletic Park yesterday.

Goblins held their own in the early part of the game and at one time were on the long end of a 6-6 score, but Cougars broke before the incessant attack of the Cougars in the second half.

Buddy French opened scoring for the winners when he went over for an unconverted touchdown. Goblins equalized on a pass from Bruce McLaren to Ken Hage in the end zone. The try for the extra point was stopped but Oak Bay went into a 6-6 lead minutes later when French was rouged.

Injured by French, Cougars roared back with an assault that started Oak Bay downfall. French completed a 28-yard pass to Billy O'Connell on the Goblin two-yard line and Shagal Slagh went around left end on the play for the second Cougar touchdown. French kicked the convert to leave the score at 11-6 for the end of half time.

Long ground-gaining power drives by French kept the play in Oak Bay territory in the third quarter, but it was a Goblin fumble that paved the way for the third Cougar touchdown. Slagh went around left end for another score. French added the extra point to boost the margin to 17-6 at the quarter.

The Clarkson brothers, John and Bernie, started the Cougars in the final period with Bernie hitting pay dirt twice. A rouge by Danoni and a convert by Pudich added the nine points.

The game was marred by two casualties. Jack Goddard of Cougars was injured on the first play of the game and retired after five minutes with a dislocated shoulder. Reg Lett of Goblins suffered a groin injury in the last period and was removed to hospital for observation.

United, Reds Draw To Share Top Spot

Nip Sage Nets Equalizer in 1-1 Deadlock—Victoria Has Edge but Misses Opportunities

HOW THEY STAND

Victoria United	4	1	1	8	3	3
North Shore	4	2	2	4	4	2
New Westminster	1	0	0	2	1	2
Vancouver City	0	1	1	2	4	1
St. Andrews	0	1	1	1	2	1

VANCOUVER, Oct. 2 (CP)—Victoria United and North Shore Reds played to a 1-1 tie Sunday in Pacific Coast Soccer League fixture before 1,800 fans. The draw left the teams still tied for top place, each had two garnered three points.

Opening up at a fast clip, North Shore took an early lead over Victoria when Inside Right Dave Brown lagged a pass from Trev Ratcey, beating United Goalie Joe Travis at the seven-minute mark.

Following this counter, Victoria perked up and had much the better of the play but were unable to hit the target.

Right Winger Andy Anderson, who turned in a steady effort for the Islanders, put Dave Rusgrue in the clear only to have the latter shoot wide of the net.

Victoria continued to press but their forward line had no semblance of direction. Consequently, they missed out on several golden opportunities during the game.

The half ended with the Reds still out front, 1-0.

Nip Sage evened the count for Victoria two minutes into the second half when he beat Frank Ashdown from 8 scrambles.

The United showed its best form in this frame but couldn't penetrate a stout North Shore defence.

Frank Ashder had a chance to put the game on ice for North Shore in the last minutes of play but shot wide.

BACK LINE STARS

Victoria played without the services of Pullback Joe Robbins. His place was filled by Chuck Newman, who teamed up with Syd Robbins to form a strong combination. Syd Robbins played exceptionally well and was the star of the United team. United came out of the game with two casualties. Halfback Gordie Creed pulled a tendon and Inside Forward Cliff Robbins was out while jumping for a ball.

Manager Roy Barnes again tried Cecilia Forbes at right half but switched him back to fullback when the former centre half betrin with Red McMillan going to the wing.

Portsmouth Holds Lead By Blanking Newcastle

LONDON, Oct. 2 (Reuters)—Unbeaten Portsmouth held its place atop Division One of the English Football League today with a 1-0 victory over Newcastle United.

Big crowds generally attended league games with fine weather prevalent over most of Britain.

Second-place Derby County, also undefeated, slipped back a point when they were held to a scoreless draw at Liverpool.

In the Second Division West, Bromwich Albion, Tottenham Hotspur and Cardiff City all moved up a notch to Join Bury in a four-way tie for first place.

While Bury fell 3-6 at Leicester, Tottenham whipped Blackburn 4-0, the Albion defeated Leeds 3-1 and Cardiff won 1-0 at Plymouth.

There was no leadership changes in the Third Division. In the northern section leading Rotherham United came home from Bradford City with a 2-1 victory and in the southern half Ringpin Swansea Town whitewashed Bristol Rovers 5-0.

In the Scottish League Cup results went largely according to form with favored East Fife, Hibernian and Hamilton Academicals all easy winners over Queen of the South, Celtic Thistle and Stenhousemuir respectively.

Rangers came through 3-1 over Clyde and Kilmarnock conquered East Stirlingshire 4-1. One of few upsets came at Stirling where the home team edged Dumfertine Athletics 4-3.

LONDON, Oct. 2 (Reuters)—Results of soccer games played today in the United Kingdom:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

Aston Villa 4, Bradford United 1
Blackpool 1, Chelsea 1, Arsenal 3
Bolton 1, Everton 1
Charlton Albion 1, Birmingham City 2
Derby County 0, Liverpool 0
Manchester, Div 1, Middlesbrough 1
Portsmouth 1, Newcastle United 0
Stoke City 1, West Ham 1
Sunderland 2, Sheffield United 1
Huddersfield 1, Manchester United 3
Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Sunderland Red Tows 1

Second Division

Brentford 3, Southampton 0
Brentford 3, West Ham United 0
Coventry City 4, Chesterfield 2
Fulham 3, South Shields 1
Grimsby Town 2, Bradford 2
Leeds United 1, West Bromwich Albion 3
Leicester City 3, Burt 6
Manchester City 1, Sheffield Town 0
Plymouth Argyle 0, Cardiff City 1
Sheffield Wednesday 4, Lincoln City 1
Tottenham Hotspur 4, Blackburn Rovers 0

Third Division, Northern

Barrow 3, Chesterfield Rovers 2
Bradford City 1, Rotherham United 2
Crewe Alexandra 1, Bury 3
Doncaster Rovers 3, Hull City 0
Gateshead 2, Carlisle United 0
Halifax Town 1, Southport 2
Mansfield Town 4, Rochdale 1
Stockport Town 1, Chester 2
York Wrexham 2, Southport 1
Rochdale 0, Crewe Alexandra 2
Tranmere Rovers 2, Barrow 1

Third Division, Southern

Northampton and Swansea Athletic 4, Brighton Hove 2
Bristol City 2, Leyton Orient 2
Crystal Palace 1, Walsall 1
Reading 2, Port Vale 1
Southampton 0, Swindon Town 2
Northampton 4, Swansea Town 1
Reading City 1, Walsall 1
Bristol City 2, Port Vale 1
Southampton 0, Swindon Town 2
Reading 2, Bristol Rovers 0
Bristol Rovers 0, Swansea Town 5

SCOTTISH LEAGUE CUP

Division "A"

Alloa Queen 0, Dundee 3
Hearts 3, Falkirk 1
Hibernian 4, Queen of the South 1
Raith 2, Motherwell 3
Rangers 3, Clyde 1
Partick Thistle 3, Dundee 4
St. Mirren 1, Aberdeen 1
Stenhousemuir 3, Dundee 1

Division "B"

Arbroath 1, Queen's Park 3
Albion 1, Stirling 1
Dumbarton 2, Raith Rovers 4
Dunfermline Athletic 4, Dundee United 4, St. Johnstone 1
Forfar Athletic 2, Kilmarnock 4
Stirling 4, Clyde 3
Kilmarnock 4, East Stirlingshire 1
Stirling Albion 4, Dunfermline Athletic 3

IRISH LEAGUE CITY CUP

Belfast United 2, Distillery 3.
Glentoran 4, Coleraine 3
Cliftonville 2, Ards 1
Glentoran 2, Derry City 1.
Portadown 1, Linfield 3

Bowling Scores

ARCADE ALLEYS

CITY SENIOR TENPIN LEAGUE

Group Prize—Bowlerettes, 1407 Marlton, 310, M Turner, 679, R Lawson, 684, Low Game, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Tom Wilson.

"Pacific Mail—J Sewell, 337, J Perry, 337, Jessie Wilson, 680, Jessie Wilson, 790, Pacific, 978, Jessie Wilson, 337, 337, 337.

Pacific Mail Best Men.

Midtown Cafe and Bill's Best—W Young, Harry Wilson, 680, J Cashmore, 679, R Marlton, 310, R Harris, 310, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson.

Bowlerettes—Jessie Wilson, 680, C Kerr, 686, J Jackson, 617, W Robson, 337, A Turner, 337, Best totals, 790, Jessie Wilson, 337.

Midtown Cafe and Bill's Best won three.

COMMERCIAL TENPIN LEAGUE

Maple Leaves—Jessie Wilson, 679, D Brown, 680, J Cashmore, 680, Scott Low, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 337, Best totals, 790, Jessie Wilson, 337, 337, 337.

Maple Leaves—Jessie Wilson, 679, D Brown, 680, J Cashmore, 680, Scott Low, 880, R Jackson, 680, Barnsley, 680, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson.

Maple Leaves won three.

Dairy Queen—Jessie Wilson, 679, D Brown, 680, J Cashmore, 680, Scott Low, 880, R Jackson, 680, Barnsley, 680, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson.

Bear's Imperials—D Smith, 680, R Jackson, 680, J Cashmore, 680, Scott Low, 880, Barnsley, 680, Best totals, 790, 880, 680, 680—2150.

Bear's Imperials won two.

Dairy Colonial—J Duncan, 680, R Jackson, 680, A Barnsley, 680, Scott Low, 880, J Young, 680, Best totals, 790, 880, 680, 680—2150.

Dairy Colonial won two.

Argus Coffee Shop—J Cashmore, 680, R Jackson, 680, W Pugsley, 680, Scott Low, 880, J Young, 680, Best totals, 790, 880, 680, 680—2150.

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Argus Coffee Shop won three.

WOMEN'S TENPIN LEAGUE

Arcadia—Bess Proft, 680, Betty Wren, 680, Jessie Wilson, 680, Jessie Wilson, 680, Low Game, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 680, Best Game—1042 Jessie Wilson.

Arcadia—Anna Meyer, 680, Peggy Trivett, 680, Tony Gibbons, 680, Jessie Wilson, 680, Low Game, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 680, Best Game—1042 Arcadia won two.

Bowlerettes—Bess Myers—R Shaw, 680, M Bartlett, 680, J Marsden, 680, M Jackson, 680, Low Game, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 680, Best Game—1042 Bowlerettes—Bess Myers, 680, J Richardson, 680, Jessie Wilson, 680, Low Game, 880, P Fuller, 680, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 680, Best Game—1042 Bowlerettes won two.

Lantern Inn Supper Club—Pearl Ray, 680, Bess Proft, 680, Lorraine Jones, 680, Dover, 680, P Anderson, 680, Jessie Wilson, 680, Low Game, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 680, Best Game—1042 Lantern Inn Supper Club—Pearl Ray, 680, Bess Proft, 680, Lorraine Jones, 680, Dover, 680, P Anderson, 680, Jessie Wilson, 680, Low Game, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 680, Best Game—1042 Lantern Inn Supper Club won three.

Bowlerettes—Bess Myers, 680, Jessie Wilson, 680, Low Game, 880, Jessie Wilson, 790, Jessie Wilson, 680, Best Game—1042 Bowlerettes won two

The Spotlight

BY GRANTLAND RICE

"It was a million-to-one shot," Joe McCarthy said, "that the Red Sox, Yankees and Indians would be in a triple tie with just a week left. I've figured back, and I recall at least 15 games that we lost when we should have won easily. I mean we had them tied up and passed away. We wouldn't lose them. But we did. To everybody."

Being a square-shooter, disdaining the alibi, McCarthy continued: "But I suppose Boudreau and Harris could count just as many lost games they should have won. We lost many a game on terrible pitching. So did the Yankees. We lost them out of three in Boston on their last trip and they scored 31 or 32 runs off our pitching."

"If you had two strong ball players like Eric Barney," I said to Dom DiMaggio one day, "you'd be ten games in front."

"We'd be ten games in front with just one pitcher like Eric Barney," Dom said. "Just one."

Bucky Harris can say about the same. The Bucks was the only pitcher he had. The others, most of them, might as well have gone to jail. But I've never seen Harris desperately help as Joe DiMaggio and Tommy Henrich took down the club all season. I doubt that any team ever drew two more useful ball players. Our nomination—Musial of the Cardinals and Boudreau of the Indians. But not two on one club.

OVERCOMES HANDICAP

DiMaggio with a bad knee, a bad heel, a lumpy charley horse, leads the rampaged of each charge. Don't forget that Joe has been playing in organized baseball since 1932. That's sixteen years ago. He was suffering in every game he played most of this season—especially down the burning stretch—but he still leads his league in home runs and runs batted in by a wide margin.

Joe DiMaggio is the league's vital spark. And Tommy Henrich has so far away. Minus these two players, the Yankees would never have finished in the first division.

They were responsible for at least 400,000 of the Yankees' total attendance turnout. It was DiMaggio, Henrich and Raschi that did the major job for the Yankees.

INDIANS AND RED SOX

Concerning the Indians, Yankees and Red Sox, it must be admitted that Lou Boudreau's Cleveland Indians have the edge.

In Lemon, Feller, Bearden, Zoldak, Christopher and one or two more, Cleveland had all the best of the pitching. Certainly neither the Red Sox nor Yankees has a staff to match this collection of right and left arms.

Detroit could have had a great pitching staff with just a little more ambition, of which the Tigers had none at all. Hoot Evers, Vic Wertz, Trout, Hutchinson, Houtteman—this could have been the best staff in the league. It wasn't because no one seemed to care who won or who lost.

Connie Mack had some fair pitchers, plus Palm, Joost and Majeski. They were always dangerous—but never pennant bound. No speed.

Cleveland has the ball club, if you care to rely on figures. Cleveland has the strongest pitching staff. Cleveland has the only infield that could match the Red Sox.

BEST INFIELD

Cleveland has Ken Keltner, who is batting around .290, has hit 30 home runs and driven in well over 100 tallies so far. Moving over, Boudreau and Joe Gordon are the two strongest ballplayers at the vital positions of short and second. Yes, they are more valuable than Stephens and Bobby Doerr, even though the latter have driven across 22 more runs than the Cleveland pair at his writing. Mickey Vernon and Stirnweiss hammered in over 80 runs. The Red Sox combination is nearly 150 runs in advance of the Yankees—two fine infields, no doubt.

The Red Sox and the Yankees have the best first basemen. The Indians are outclassed in the outfield, far behind Joe and Dom DiMaggio, Williams, Lindell, Keller and others. The Cleveland outfield is only so-so.

So when you check up on the three clubs, you'll find that Cleveland had the better ball club. If Bob Feller had only started as he is finishing, there would have been no pennant race. Feller, Lemon and Bearden would have wrecked the league by early August.

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Vancouver Planning New Ice Arena To Be Built During Coming Year

VANCOUVER, Oct. 2 (CP). — Plans were on the drafting board today for the Pacific National Exhibition's new ice arena, expected to be built during the coming year.

Ben Williams, P.N.E. manager, said the new arena would seat between 10,000 and 12,000 persons, and would be equipped with a flexible ice-making setup.

Designed by Harland Bartholomew and associates, town-planning consultants of St. Louis, Mo., early sketches have been approved by the P.N.E. directorate and now await final drafting.

Dave Daughtree, manager of the present Forum, said the floor of the playing surface would be cropped from the Madison Square Gardens in New York and Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto, using tile which would enable the ice to be ploughed up after use.

Site for the new arena has not yet been picked, but officials end it would probably be just east of the Exhibition Gardens.

Jake Young Tops Heals Shoot

A magnificent score of 104 points, placed Jake Young already in the top position as the prestige shoot at Heals Range yesterday.

The 8th Regiment shot, punched out 30-point possibles at the 200 and 500-yard ranges and had about one to the inner ring on his second shot at 600 yards to register a 34 aggregate. A tricky fish-tailing wind at that range.

Sgt. Albert Ashe turned in a best century to place the Canadian Scottish in second spot and Capt. W. B. McKay of the R.M.C. squad with a card showing 99 points.

Quiet conditions produced several possibles at the fifth two-ranger. Young and Ashe scoring at 200 yards and Young, Mrs. Ethel Young and Maj. W. H. Wood registering at the 500-yard stand.

8TH REGIMENT

	200	500	600	Total
J. A. Young	34	36	34	104
Lt. Arthur Sangwin	34	34	32	100
C. O. Valiaris	33	33	34	99
Mrs. Young	33	32	34	99
Sgt. F. Mayhew	33	33	32	98
Sgt. David Grapes	31	31	31	93
Ethel Young	30	31	30	91

Racing Results At Golden Gate

FIRST RACE—

Gay Mirbeau	$5.20	$3.40	$2.80
Gay Mirbeau		7.00	5.00
Time: :23 1-5			

SECOND RACE —

Gallant Boy	$9.40	$3.60	$2.40
Gallant Boy		4.80	3.00
Sunny Gulch		3.60	2.40
Time: :23 1-5			

THIRD RACE—

Ivy Jo	$14.40	$6.00	$3.20
Sweet Sandy		6.60	3.80
Jimmy		3.20	2.20

FOURTH RACE—

Pretty Prince	$7.00	$3.80	$2.60
Wilbur Bob		3.20	2.20
Time: :23 1-5			

FIFTH RACE—

Dodgeton	$10.60	$5.20	$3.60
The Trickett		3.60	2.20
Bob Hanover		2.20	2.00
Time: :23 1-5			

SIXTH RACE—

Ruby Mac	$10.80	$5.20	$3.60
Ruby Mac		4.00	2.60
Time: :23 1-5			

SEVENTH RACE—

Prestidigitator	$6.40	$3.40	$3.00
Prestidigitator		3.20	2.80
Bonnie Bee		2.20	2.00
Time: :23 1-5			

EIGHTH RACE—

Dancing Chief	$5.20	$3.20	$2.20
Dancing Chief		3.20	2.20
Tinkle Tom		2.20	2.00
Time: :23 1-5			

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs.

Dark Lad	118	Sunset Lady	118
Mind Master	118	Miss Mirella	118
Miss Mirella	118	Miss Mirella	118
Miss Mirella	118	Miss Mirella	118
Miss Mirella

Hawk of the Wilderness

By WILLIAM G. CHESTER

CHAPTER X

He cut grudgingly to one side, so that his trail might bring him above a ravine through which flowed a muddy racing stream whose very minority and varying depth he knew with the intimacy of many swims and plunges there. Deliberately, as if debating which trail to pursue, he paused, noting in his attitude revealing the alert wariness.

Ever secure crept Yellow Weasel in a stalk of which a panther might have been proud. But too now awakened microphonic ears of the Snow Hawk heard sounds beyond the register of ordinary ears. Without turning his head, he sensed when his enemy gathered his muscles to do the unexpected, the witch-doctor sprang with upraised tomahawk. Kioga whirled, sidestepped with the quickness of thought, and seized the falling tomahawk arm of his assailant. His other hand shot to the shaman's corded throat, fastening there with the tenacious grip of a lynx's fangs. The blow which would have cleft his skull in the earth just scratched him.

Then for the second time a human being, more devil than human, tasted of the deadly fangs of the young panther. Yellow Weasel knew the Snow Hawk grappled his would-be assassin to the ravine's edge. A moment they hung there tight-locked, the grisly medicine-man in frightful contrast to the fine-featured, clean-skinned youth, strained body to body in the fierce embrace of mortal combat.

The Snow Hawk fought with cunning, muscle-cracking devices and leverages strange to the witch-doctor. The strength upon which Yellow Weasel had counted avails not little against this slippery fury, twisting about him like a constricting anaconda which crushes while shrinking. Upon his tomahawk arm Kioga worked some agonizing twist of Oriental torture. As the axe fell from his numbed fingers, Yellow Weasel writhed and struck with his free hand, clawing beast-like with his nails, gouging for the eye, but ever more blindly as those clenching fingers sealed out his air-supply. Aware of the imminence of retribution, the whole frame of the witch-doctor shuddered. Then suddenly he was within a hair's breath of escaping as for a moment Kioga relaxed his throat-hold, and the shaman released in one fearful high-pitched yell the terror which had been struggling for utterance.

But Kioga had lessened one grip only to jerk Yellow Weasel's belt-knife from its sheath. As they fell through space with flailing limbs, he sent the blade plunging into the hairy breast, twice for Awena, twice for Mokuyi; then stabbing and stabbing again on his own account as the convulsive fingers of the shaman released him and fell away under the water.

Then Kioga sought the surface to breathe air clean at least of the stench of his parents' murderer—and instantly plunged anew to avoid being seen by Yellow Weasel's comrades.

That night, recalling the plot to assassinate Bawamic, he doubled back to the village. From a vantage-point outside the palisade he maintained steady watch on the chieftain's lodge. And when a stealthy shadow emerged from the darkness and raised the skin before the door, Hawk loosed a war-arrow through the marauder, and he fell without a sound, lying still.

Next morning when the sachem saw a human body, a knife gripped in its stiffening hand, upon his very doorstep, it put him on guard. Never was he to know to whom he owed gratitude for the assassination's failure, but his dismed suspicions had the effect of putting an end, temporarily, to the treasonous activities of the now thoroughly alarmed Long-Knife Bostesp.

Two days later the young outlaw learned beyond all further doubt what fate awaited him should he fall into the power of his enemies.

It was to be war to the knife, might have been that the territory rather than face the hopeless odds of slaying the lone boy with every man's hand against him. Not Kioga! He claimed these wilds as his own swamp, forest and mountain. If die he must, he would perish here. So now he patrolled countless places of retreat, hiding in southern pool, memorizing every place of concealment, of possible ambush, ever plotting in advance how he could put them to use.

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OTTAWA, Oct. 3 (CP)—The 1948 world wheat crop may reach 6,250,000,000 bushels, 7 per cent higher than last year's and 4 per cent above the 1938-38 average, the Bureau of Statistics reported.

World rye production, estimated at 1,605,000,000 bushels, is 6 per cent over 1947, but 7 per cent less than the prewar average.

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794 FORT E 0741

—HI YAH OCTOBER

HI YAH October . . . just 2 days old, helping the maple . . . scatter its gold. I'm going to walk in your garden, walk on your dew, and get myself . . . better acquainted with you. You and I, will have little talks, you've taken the flowers and left only stalks. But for THAT I'll forgive me, you, your fruit hangs heavy on every tree. You've been rightfully called the harvest-queen, I think I'll taste this gravest stein. Surely THIS year . . . it did produce . . . ummmm . . . so crisp with sugary juice.

NATURAL FINISH . . . darker trim . . . J.K. table choice of colors in leatherette seats . . . $49.00.

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Hawk of the Wilderness

By WILLIAM O. CHESTER

CHAPTER X

He cut gradually to one side, so that his trail might bring him above a ravine through which flowed a muddy racing stream whose every sinuosity and varying depth he knew with the intimacy of many swims and plunges there. Deliberately, as if debating which trail to pursue, he paused, nothing in his attitude revealing his alert wariness.

Ever nearer crept Yellow Weasel in a stalk of which a panther might have been proud. But the now awakened metaphysic ears of the Snow Hawk heard sounds beyond the register of ordinary ears. Without turning his head, he sensed when his enemy gathered his cunning hoids, muscle-racking devices and leverages strange to the witch-doctor. The strength upon which Yellow Weasel had counted crushed not little against the slippery fury, twining about him like a constricting anaconda which crushes while strangling. Upon his tomahawk arm Kioga worked some agonizing twist of Oriental torture. As the axe fell from his numbed fingers, Yellow Weasel writhed and struck with his free hand, clawing beast-like with his nails, gouging for the eye, but ever more blindly as those clenching fingers sealed out his air-supply. Aware of the imminence of retribution, the whole frame of the witch-doctor shuddered. Then suddenly he was within a hair's breath of escaping as for a moment Kioga relaxed his throughhold, and the shaman released in one fearful high-pitched yell the terror which had been struggling for utterance.

But Kioga had loosened one grip only to jerk Yellow Weasel's bellknife from his sheath. As they fell through space with flailing limbs, he sent the blade plunging into the hoot breast, twice for Awena, twice for Mokuyt; then stabbing and stabbing again on his own account as the convulsive fingers of the shaman released him and fell away under the water.

Then Kioga sought the surface to breathe air clean at last of the taint of his parnia' murderer—and instantly plunged anew to avoid being seen by Yellow Weasel's cohorts.

That night, recalling the plot to assassinate Sawamic, he doubled back to the village. From a vantage-point outside the palisade he maintained steady watch on the chieftain's lodge. And when a stealthy shadow emerged from the darkness and raised the axe before the door, Hawk loosed a war-arrow through the marauder, and he fell without a sound, lying still.

Next morning when the sachem saw a human body, a knife gripped in its hand, lying at the foot upon his very doorstep, it put him on guard. Never was he to know to whom he owed gratitude for the assassination's failure; but his round epicdiomas had the effect of putting an end, temporarily, to the treasonous activities of the now thoroughly alarmed Long-Knife Society.

Two days later the young outlaw learned beyond all further doubt what fate awaited him if ever he fell into the power of his enemies.

It was in the war to the knife. Another might have fled the territory rather than face the hopeless odds confronting this lone boy with every man's hand against him. But Kioga's fate claimed these wilds as his own swamp, forest and mountain. If die he must, he would perish here. So now, he patrolled countless places of retreat, defense or undiscovered rest, memorizing every place of concealment, of possible ambush, ever planning to advance how he could put them to use.

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CFPR—960 kc	CKWX—1130 kc.	KIRO—710 kc.	KOMO—1000 kc.	KJR—950 kc.	KVI—570 kc.	CJOR—690 kc.	CKWX—690 kc.
8:00 Sign of Hope	News	8:00 Sign of Hope	8:00 Sign of Hope	Back to God	Back to God	To Be Announced	News
8:15 Wings of Song	Morning Music	News Makers	Words and Music	Church Bells	Church Bells	Bible Studies	Bible Studies
8:30 Wings of Song	Music	Music	Music	Christian Science	Christian Science	Christian Science	Christian Science
8:45 Wings of Song	Music	Dr. Bob Shank	Gospel Hour	Bible Fellowship	Gloria Dei	Music	Music
9:00 B.C. Voice	B.B.C. News	Christian Science	Christian Science	Christian Science	Christian Science	Gospel Hour	Gospel Hour
9:15 Gospel Hour	Gospel Hour	Gospel Hour	Gospel Hour	The Evangel Hour	Gospel Hour	Lutheran Hour	Lutheran Hour
9:30 Meig Quartette	Sermonette	Sermonette Rallyman	Sermonette Rallyman	The Evangel Hour	Lutheran Hour	Lutheran Hour	Lutheran Hour
9:45 Meig Quartette	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music
10:00 Sunday Serenade	Sunday Serenade	Sunday Serenade	Sunday Serenade	Sunday Serenade	Sunday Serenade	Sunday Serenade	Sunday Serenade
10:15 David	Int Hymn	Int Hymn	Hymn Sower	Yorks Yorks Yorks	Yorks Yorks Yorks	S. S. Sunrise	Sunrise
10:30 Voice of Prophecy	Voice of the Spirit	Voice of Prophecy	Voice of Prophecy	Music	Music	Sunrise Serenade	Sunrise Serenade
10:45 Voice of Prophecy	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music
11:00 Church Service	Sunday Concert	Peoples Ed Hour	Piano Recital	Around the World	Air Force Band	Metropolitan Tab.	Music Mess. Church
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11:30 Church Service	Religious Program	Religious Program	You Are There	Universal Theatre	Mr. Fiddlesticks	Metropolitan Tab.	Music Mess. Church
11:45 Church Service	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Music	Music	Music Mess. Church
12:00 Church Service	Symphony	Symphony	To be Announced	Handbook's Manual	Free Parliament	Music	Music
12:15 Church Service	Symphony	Symphony	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	Free Parliament	Music	Music
12:30 Church	Symphony	Symphony	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	Free Parliament	Music	Music
12:45 Church	Symphony	Symphony	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	Free Parliament	Music	Music
1:00 Church of Music	Orchestra	Symphony	Quiz Kids	Quiz Kids	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall
1:15 Church of Music	Orchestra	Symphony	Quiz Kids	Quiz Kids	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall	Symphony Hall
1:30 Seeking the Ch	Church of the Air	Middle Man Middle	Middle Man Middle	Prayer Lea	Prayer Lea	Music	Music
1:45 Seeking the Ch	Church of the Air	Middle Man Middle	Middle Man Middle	Prayer Lea	Prayer Lea	Music	Music
2:00 Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music
2:15 Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music
2:30 Music Leaders	Music in Motion	Music in Motion	Music Room	Music Room	Music Room	Music	Music
2:45 Music Leaders	Music in Motion	Music in Motion	Music Room	Music Room	Music Room	Music	Music
3:00 Sunday Concert	Musical Program	Musical Program	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Music	Music
3:15 Sunday Concert	Musical Program	Musical Program	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Music	Music
3:30 Peace Reflection	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Peace Reflection	Voice Peninsula	Voice Peninsula	Music	Music
3:45 Peace Reflection	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Peace Reflection	Voice Peninsula	Voice Peninsula	Music	Music
4:00 Antiquarian	Nash-Kell Band	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Jack Benny	Symphony Hall	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert
4:15 Antiquarian	Nash-Kell Band	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Jack Benny	Symphony Hall	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert
4:30 Antiquarian	Music	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Summer Theatre	Summer Theatre	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert
4:45 John Pickard	Music	Music	Music	Summer Theatre	Summer Theatre	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert
5:00 Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Music	Music
5:15 Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Music	Music
5:30 Dance Band	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music
5:45 Dance Band	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music	Music
6:00 Michael O'Duffy	C.B.C. News	News Review	Mystery Theatre	Walter Winchell	The Front Page	This Week	Radio Mail Bag
6:15 Michael O'Duffy	Sports	Sports Review	Mystery Theatre	Walter Winchell	The Front Page	This Week	Radio Mail Bag
6:30 Curtis Allen	Pentimo Band	Pentimo Band	Mystery Theatre	Theatre Guild	Theatre Guild	This Week	Family Theatre
6:45 Curtis Allen	Pentimo Band	Pentimo Band	Mystery Theatre	Theatre Guild	Theatre Guild	This Week	Family Theatre
7:00 Lum & Abner	Music	Lum & Abner	Take It or Leave It	Theatre Guild	Theatre Guild	Music Room	Artistry in Music
7:15 Lum & Abner	Music	Lum & Abner	Take It or Leave It	Theatre Guild	Theatre Guild	Music Room	Artistry in Music
7:30 Lum & Abner	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Gene Autry	Theatre Guild	Theatre Guild	Music Room	Music
7:45 Lum & Abner	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Gene Autry	Theatre Guild	Theatre Guild	Music Room	Music
8:00 Orchestra	Oscar and Martha	Oscar and Martha	Oscar and Martha	Theatre of the Air	Theatre of the Air	Music Room	Music
8:15 Orchestra	Oscar and Martha	Oscar and Martha	Oscar and Martha	Theatre of the Air	Theatre of the Air	Music Room	Music
8:30 Orchestra	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Strawberry Roan	Johnny Dollar	Theatre of the Air	Music Room	Music
8:45 Orchestra	To Be Announced	To Be Announced	Strawberry Roan	Johnny Dollar	Theatre of the Air	Music Room	Music
9:00 Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert
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11:00 Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off	Sign Off

CBR—1010 kc	CBK—1000 kc	CBW—1070 kc	CBR—1010 kc	CBK—1000 kc	CBW—1070 kc
News	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert	Sunday Concert
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CJVI—690 kc	CKDA—1150 kc.	CHLN—1240 kc.	CJOR—1290 kc.	CJIB—1320 kc.	CJAV—1350 kc.
7:00 Weather Report	7:00 Breakfast Club	7:00 Breakfast Club	7:00 Breakfast Club	7:00 Breakfast Club	7:00 Breakfast Club
7:15 Weather Report	7:15 Breakfast Club	7:15 Breakfast Club	7:15 Breakfast Club	7:15 Breakfast Club	7:15 Breakfast Club
7:30 Sheet of Music	7:30 Breakfast Club	7:30 Breakfast Club	7:30 Breakfast Club	7:30 Breakfast Club	7:30 Breakfast Club
8:00 News	8:00 News	8:00 News	8:00 News	8:00 News	8:00 News
8:05 Sheet of Music	8:05 Sheet of Music	Woody Woodpecker	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
8:15 Sheet of Music	8:15 Sheet of Music	Woody Woodpecker	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
8:30 Sheet of Music	8:30 Sheet of Music	Dennis Day	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
8:45 Sheet of Music	8:45 Sheet of Music	Dennis Day	To Be Announced	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
9:00 B.C. Bowl	B.C. Bowl	Mr. Peepers	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
9:15 B.C. Bowl	B.C. Bowl	Mr. Peepers	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
9:30 Pet Parade	Morning Concert	Mr. Peepers	To Be Announced	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
9:45 Pet Parade	Morning Concert	Mr. Peepers	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
10:00 Sid Dale Show	10:00 Sky Blues	Mr. Peepers	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
10:15 Sid Dale Show	Happy Gang	Mr. Peepers	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
10:30 Sid Dale Show	Happy Gang	Mr. Peepers	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
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11:00 Pat Kirby Sings	11:00 Sky Blues	Mr. Peepers	Sudden's Roundup	Breakfast Club	Breakfast Club
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Little Church Around Corner Marks Centenary This Month

NEW YORK, Oct. 2 (AP). — The Little Church Around the Corner, sandwiched between mid-Manhattan's skyscrapers, became 100 years old this month. Year by year its magnetism increases.

Almost everybody, it seems, wants to get married there and 150,000 people have. Almost every tourist wants to see the place and, just last year, 90,000 did.

Sentiment hangs like ivy round this Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration. There are the new brides entering tremulously and the old brides, nostalgia affecting their eyes, coming back on anniversaries. There are the children brought from Australia and Switzerland and other distant parts of the world to be baptized in the church where their mothers were married.

BRIDE'S ALTAR

There are the stained-glass windows, memorials to celebrities of the theatre. This is also known as the actor's church. Cornelia Otis Skinner, Percy Wood, Toronto-born Raymond Massey, Walter Hampden and Jose Ferrer still attend it. There is the bride's altar, studded with jewels taken from old engagement rings and family heirlooms—gifts of past brides.

There is the church's history. The first service was held in a private home on the first Sunday of October, 1848. The church was consecrated on its present site on 29th Street in 1850, at a time when nearby Fifth Avenue, in that section, was little more than a cow path and the best people lived farther downtown.

It was 20 years before the church got its popular name. In 1870 an actor friend of Joe Jefferson, the comedian, died. Jefferson asked the minister of a nearby church to conduct the funeral service. The minister, mindful of the anti-theatre prejudices held by members of his day, refused, but suggested "there's a little church around the corner where they do that kind of thing."

Washington Jefferson offered his now famous benediction, "God bless the little church around the corner," hurried there and was accommodated.

ORGANIZE ACTORS' GUILD

Actors in growing room off-over the United States began to talk gratefully about the little church. Some of them were to become stars. In connection with the theatre became permanent. Later the operetta "Sally" used the church in its theme. In an upstairs room, above the altar, the Episcopal Actors' Guild was organized, with George Arliss as the first president.

Through the years, funeral services have been held in the little church for Edwin Booth, Maurice Barrymore (father of Ethel, John and Lionel), Henry Miller, Vernon Castle, Daniel Frohman and many other great names of the footlights.

FAMOUS WEDDINGS

The little church's list of brides and grooms include Irene Castle, Ann Harding, Robert E. Sherwood, James Montgomery Flagg, Billie Kirby and Benjamin Lenwick, the Canadian humorist and author.

In the 100 years, the little church has had only three rectors. Dr. Randolph Ray has been there 28 years. He says he heads a church which conducts more weddings, funerals and baptisms than any other in the United States.

Since the first bride of 1850 approximately 75,000 weddings have taken place in the church.

But as it is with weddings, the Little Church Around the Corner in Greta Greta. It won't marry persons who have been divorced or persons under 22 without parental consent.

Worthy Successor Appointed To Late Boys' Town Director

BOYS TOWN, Neb., October 2 (CUP).—A man who can direct a boys' baseball game, sing the Mass in a firm tenor and supervise the actions of the altar boys, all within an hour, has been given the big job of handling the world's most publicized little men.

The Right Rev. Msgr. Nicholas H. Wegner, known in his more athletic days around Humphrey, Neb., as "Nicky," has succeeded the late Msgr. E. J. Flanagan as director of Boys Town.

For a man who spent a good part of his 23 years of priesthood organizing, planning and administering it in the pinnacle of success, because Msgr. Wegner, who walks with a limp and holds some sort of unofficial speed record for reciting Latin, is known and loved by most Catholics and many non-Catholics in the Archdiocese of Omaha.

Born at Humphrey 50 years ago on July 6, his early love was athletics. The oldtimers say he could hold down the third base hot corner as well as any semi-pro baseballer in the state. His deepest love was that of priesthood, for which he took the vows in Rome in 1920, after years of study at Teutopolis, Ill., St. Paul, Minn., and Washington, D.C.

He took over the job of assistant pastor at St. Cecilia's Cathedral in Omaha in 1925, and watched the church grow from a small brick structure to a towering marble and concrete monument.

In January, 1936, Father Wegner, still comparatively young, became director of the St. James Orphanage, largest institution for the homeless in the city. Up the church ladder he climbed, to Papal chamberlain and to chancellor in 1938. In 1944, the 46-year-old priest was elevated to a domestic prelate and invested with the title of right reverend monsignor.

After the recent death of Archbishop James Hugh Ryan, the energetic monsignor served as administrator of the archdiocese until the installation of Archbishop Gerald T. Bergan.

PARIS, Oct. 2 (AP).—French Defense Minister Paul Ramadier is expected to submit to the French Cabinet early next week plans for an international general staff of the Western European union.

The international staff will have the task of organizing and integrating the defenses of Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg.

At the Theatres

"Fabulous Texan" New Rio Feature

A tremendous picture on a tremendous theme is what patrons of the Rio Theatre will be treated to when Republic's superb production, "The Fabulous Texan," opens there next Monday. The story of post-Civil War Texas, when that sprawling colossus of the southwest was torn by dissension and strife as the aftermath of a bloody war, is boldly told by this Republic picture.

West Point Story Coming to Capitol

"Beyond Glory," which opened yesterday at the Capitol Theatre, is a stirring romantic drama, set against the absorbing background of West Point, and casts Alan Ladd as a self-excused murderer in love with Donna Reed. The sun is think, he murdered, and polyamorly depicts the conflict which rages within him. "Beyond Glory" co-stars Ladd with Donna Reed.

Play Adaptation Due at Oak Bay

Hollywood's ability to transfer Broadway's biggest stage hits into top-notch screen entertainment is currently illustrated in the smooth film version of the celebrated John Van Druten comedy-romance, "The Voice of the Turtle." Starring in the picture are Ronald Reagan, Eleanor Parker, Eve Arden and Wayne Morris. It starts Monday at the Oak Bay Theatre.

Royal to Offer "Anna Karenina"

England's latest entertainment sensation has been acclaimed by the critics of the world. The motion picture which matches the unsurpassed power of Tolstoy's novel, "Anna Karenina," starring Vivien Leigh and Sir Ralph Richardson, opens at the Royal Theatre on Monday.

Amusements ON THE SCREEN

Atlas—"The Tender Years," starring Joe E. Brown.
Capitol—"Beyond Glory," starring Alan Ladd and Donna Reed. Starts at 12:40, 2:50, 5:00, 7:10, 9:20.
Dominion — "The Woman In White," starring Eleanor Parker, Alexis Smith and Sidney Greenstreet. Picture at 12:10, 3:10, 6:10, 9:10.
Oak Bay—"The Voice of the Turtle," starring Ronald Reagan and Eleanor Parker.
Odeon—The all-star comedy, "On Our Merry Way."
Plaza—"Prison Without Bars," starring Edna Best and Barry Barnes, plus "City Without Men."
Rio—"The Fabulous Texan," starring William Elliot.
Royal — "Anna Karenina," starring Vivian Leigh and Ralph Richardson.
York International — "The Swordsman," starring Larry Parks; "Hitting Pretty," starring Robert Young.

Noted Comedian Turns to Drama

Joe E. Brown is currently crowning the achievements of a lifetime of acting with his first dramatic-screen portrayal in "The Tender Years" the new Twentieth Century-Fox release which opens Monday at the Atlas Theatre. But the man with the ear-to-ear mouth who has made untold millions laugh, vows that he will not abandon the broad comedy roles which made him world famous.

He is co-starred with Noreen Nash and Charles Drake.

English Actor Starred at York

Famed British actor Rex Harrison, who won unanimous public and critical acclaim for his portrayal in "Anna and the King of Siam," is currently starred in his second American film, "The Ghost and Mrs. Muir," which opens Monday at the York Theatre. In the Twentieth Century-Fox filmification of the R. A. Dick best-seller, Harrison is seen as the hairy sea captain whose ship of life has foundered, but who returns to bedevil a young and beautiful widow who rents his house. Gene Tierney, as the sweet and charming but lonely Mrs. Muir, and George Sanders as the suave, philandering painter, Miles Fairley, are also starred in the film.

Star-Studded Cast In Odeon Comedy

Glamorous Paulette Goddard joins Burgess Meredith, James Stewart, Henry Fonda, Dorothy Lamour, Victor Moore and Fred MacMurray, in a starring role in the enter-taining Ben Bogeson-Burgess Meredith comedy, "On Our Merry Way," which opens Monday at the Odeon Theatre through United Artists release. Co-starring with her are Burgess Meredith, James Stewart, Henry Fonda, Dorothy Lamour, Victor Moore and Fred MacMurray.

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Wreckage littered Cadboro Bay Road, near Uplands Golf Club, at 1:45 a.m. yesterday after this car, driven by R. J. Currie, Gordon Head Camp, was in collision with a telephone pole. Oak Bay police reported. Driver was uninjured. Car was impounded after accident. Sgt. W. H. Douglas attended.

Tightening of Trade, Dollar Lack Cuts Exports Through B.C. Ports

Value of all exports passing through British Columbia during the first six months of the year showed a decrease of $31,859,668 compared with figures for the same period of 1947, the Provincial Bureau of Economics and Statistics reported yesterday. Exports included products made outside the province.

At the same time, it was noted imports during the first six months of 1948 increased by $2,871,698 over imports during the same period of 1947.

Export to the end of June, 1948, totaled $189,445,192, compared with a total of $220,905,858 for the same period of 1947. Imports through British Columbia customs ports during the first six months of 1948 was fixed at $66,474,908, compared with a value of $64,603,972 for the same period during the previous year.

SLACKENING OFF

In a summary of trade for the first half-year, the bureau stated exports and imports through British Columbia ports in 1947 reached an all-time high. General slackening off in exports through British Columbia ports in the first half of 1948 was blamed on a general tightening up of world trade resulting from the dollar shortage and other financial difficulties.

Total imports to British Columbia for the whole of 1947 totaled $195,746,888, exports, $388,824,501. It was stated exports during the second half of 1947 failed to equal the amount for the first half of the year. Imports in the second half of the year increased over the total for the first half of the year.

Britain continued to be the biggest buyer of goods leaving Canada through British Columbia ports during the first half of 1948. The United States was in second place, France, which for the whole of 1947 placed sixth, moved up to third place. Fourth largest purchaser this year has been The Netherlands, which held fifth place in 1947. Belgium occupied fifth place this year—jumping from eighth place last year—while the Union of South Africa, seventh in 1947, moved up to sixth.

In the first six months of 1947, British Empire countries took more than half the goods exported through British Columbia ports. Trade during the same period this year with Empire countries has fallen below the 50 per cent mark.

More than 60 per cent of the imports entering through British Columbia ports to the end of June, 1948, came from the United States. British imports claimed this year from last year's level.

The ratio of British and United States supplies to British Columbia during the whole of 1947 was one to ten. For the first six months of this year it was one to six.

The Philippine Islands held third place for the first six months of this year with Fiji fourth and British India fifth. For the whole of 1947 British India was third, the Philippine Islands fourth and Fiji fifth.

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Soviet Policy Discussion First In University Extension Series

"Present Soviet Policy in Europe" will be the topic of an address in the Victoria College-Normal School auditorium tomorrow night at 8:15 by Dr. James G. St. Clair Sobell of Vancouver.

Dr. Sobell, who is professor of Slavonic studies at University of British Columbia, is the first of 12 lectures being brought to Victoria by the University Extension Association of Victoria. Prof. Robert T. Wallace, association president, said the meetings are open to everyone.

Dr. Sobell intends to draw on his knowledge of the Slavic peoples of Russia and the Balkans to explain Russian policy. He will outline the background leading up to the present situation, and will try to explain the reasons why the Iron Curtain now splits Europe.

He will discuss the ultimate aims of Soviet Russia and the methods she is using to attain them, including the current "cold war."

The association is offering the entire series of 12 lectures for $1, the price of a membership card that entitles anyone to attend all lectures. Membership cards can be obtained at the Public Library, from the Association secretary, Mrs. J. Parnall of 641 Government Street, or at the auditorium on the night of a lecture. Prof. Wallace said.

He said there would be no admission charge for those who had not yet purchased membership cards.

The lectures will be given every second Monday evening, and include talks by prominent educationalists in varied fields. The lectures volunteer their services, Prof. Wallace said.

First United Bids Farewell To Minister

A farewell reception was held for Dr. and Mrs. Hugh A. McLeod after the preparatory service last Friday night in First United Church.

Dr. and Mrs. McLeod leave Victoria on October 8, when Dr. McLeod leaves First United Church to become pastor of Knox United Church in Winnipeg.

Cecil C. Annett, chairman of the board of managers of First United Church, read the congregation a telegram from Hon. W. T. Straith, Minister of Education, expressing "genuine appreciation of outstanding services of a beloved pastor over these ten years."

Peter McKechnie extended the good wishes of the Church Session to Dr. and Mrs. McLeod. Fred M. McGregor, who this year is celebrating his 42nd anniversary as a member of First United Church, extended the good wishes of the congregation at large.

Mrs. McLeod was presented with a corsage and gift by Mrs. R. L. Cox and Mrs. Peter McKechnie, on behalf of the various ladies' organizations at First United. Dr. McLeod was presented with a gift by Dr. J. B. Munro on behalf of the congregation.

Refreshments were served by the ladies of the church.

Report Yields Of Butterfat

Vancouver Island (South) Co-operative Association reported the following herds in the association whose averages for the month of September were 30 pounds of butterfat or more:

Small herds, 25 cows and under—G. A. Swan & Son, 1,500 lbs. of milk, 46.8 lbs. of fat; P. Willard, 809 lbs. of milk, 45.9 lbs. of fat; A. J. H. Lowery, 863 lbs. of milk, 44.5 lbs. of fat; K. S. Price, 811 lbs. of milk, 39.9 lbs. of fat; W. R. Wetmore, 827 lbs. of milk, 38.1 lbs. of fat; J. Duncan, 1,007 lbs. of milk, 36.8 lbs. of fat; G. S. Windeyer, 1,004 lbs. of milk, 36.3 lbs. of fat; T. Walsh, 827 lbs. of milk, 36.1 lbs. of fat; A. Longland & Son, 738 lbs. of milk, 35.6 lbs. of fat; H. Hoole & Son, 678 lbs. of milk, 33.3 lbs. of fat; R. L. Muirie, 620 lbs. of milk, 31.8 lbs. of fat.

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Student Activities Open In Esquimalt High School

Student activities are well under way at Esquimalt High School.

The Students' Council held its first official meeting recently with President Bob Benson in the chair. Newly-elected class representatives attended, and activity committees were set up.

Activity committee heads for the coming year are Ruby Ross, finance; Pat Armstrong, special events; Trevor Jeanes, publicity; Les Galloway, dances; Don Palmer, fees; Bob Hancock, library, and Bob Benson, constitution.

Class representatives are Don Palmer, Grade XI; Jean Spedding and Trevor Jeanes, Grade X, and Pat Hammill, Bob Hancock and Malcolm Scattergood, Grade IX.

OPENING DANCE

Previously elected members were Les Galloway, vice-president; Joyce Richards, secretary; Pat Armstrong, Junior Red Cross, and Ruby Ross, treasurer.

Opening dance will be held this month, probably on October 15. On the same day freshmen will undergo a "tagging" as part of their initiation.

All clubs are already operating and report a large attendance. Most popular is the choral club with nearly 70 members. Harry J. Rigby directs the senior group, which incorporates the juniors on Fridays, and Miss I. Brown directs the junior choir.

More than 60 students attended a special dancing class after school on Thursday, and regular noon hour dancing classes are being held.

SPORTS PROGRAM

Sports program for the year will start with soccer and junior basketball, followed by Rugby and senior basketball after Christmas. Roy Temple will coach the senior sports and W. D. Reid will handle the basketball team.

The girls' grass hockey team, coached by W. C. Oward, will start its schedule on October 13 and will continue play until the end of November. After a December layoff the schedule will resume in January.

Interhouse games are being arranged in basketball.

The prefect system is again in operation under the direction of W. D. Reid. New prefects are Bob Benson, Les Galloway, Joyce Richards, Bob McConachy, Joan Davies, Brian Capon, Margaret Stephenson, Bill Laidlaw, Ruby Ross, Bob Pullen and Shirley Cameron. Special prefects are Bob Chapman and Elizabeth Pearce, lockers; Lillian Lennox, library; Barbara Gennard, hall, and Gwen Caley, attendance.

CHESTERFIELD AFIRE

Fire in a chesterfield at 2636 Government Street was quickly put out by city firemen after an alarm at 8:05 p.m. yesterday.

Minister's Aide To Visit Victoria

Leslie Mutch, M.P., parliamentary assistant to the Hon. Milton F. Gregg, Minister of Veterans' Affairs, will represent the minister at the convention of the Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans in Canada to open in Victoria tomorrow. It was learned from Ottawa yesterday.

Mr. Mutch will be accompanied at the convention by Deputy Minister Dr. Walter S. Woods, and other senior D.V.A. officials. He will leave Winnipeg by air October 9 for Victoria.

Dockyard Workers Will Meet Monday

A meeting of H.M.C. Dockyard Civil Service Association Federated will be held Monday, October 4, in the Prince Robert House at 8 p.m. Information on the national campaign committee for cost of living bonus will be given.

Province Cancels Townsite Reserve

The Provincial Government last week cancelled a reserve on the south shore of Desse Lake for the building of a townsite. This reserve was originally placed on the land in May, 1945, after a gold rush on Gold Pan Creek in the Cassiar district 25 years ago brought expectations of considerable development in the area, a development which failed to materialize.

LONDON (CP)—A four-foot South African snake, said to move as fast as a galloping horse, arrived at London Zoo.

Minister Aids Boy Scouts

Minister of Education W. T. Straith has given his approval to the Boy Scouts Association to hold a "Scouting for Boys" week in Victoria from November 1 to 6, it was learned yesterday.

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Victoria Kiwanians Hosts to 31st District Convention

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More than 800 delegates are scheduled to attend 31st annual district convention of Kiwanis International starting at Empress Hotel tomorrow. Clubs represented will be those of British Columbia, Washington, Oregon and parts of Idaho. Plans for three-day convention have been made by J. Denis Hagar, past-president, and F. Glenn Hope, secretary, of Victoria Kiwanis Club, assisted by President Andrew M. Stewart. Among top-ranking officials of international service club organization to attend parley will be J. Belmont Mosser, president of Kiwanis International, from St. Marys, Pa., and Ben Hazen, district governor, of Portland. This marks third district convention held in this city, previous ones being held here in 1939 and 1930.

Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Oct. 2 (CP).—Prices were stronger in brisk action Saturday morning trading resumed on the Toronto Stock Exchange today. Western oils moved ahead for the second successive day on some good gains. Industrials showed a stronger tone and golds and base metals improved slightly.

Refining oils were strong in the industrials on fractional advances. Imperial Oil added ¼ and International Petroleum and B.A. Oil also strengthened. Canadian Vickers Preferred gained more than $1 and Acadia Atlantic Refining Sugar was up 1½. International Paper and Brown Pfd. were strong.

Noranda and International Nickel strengthened fractionally in a stronger base metal list. Waite Amulet, Normetal, Siluco, Pend Oreille, Falconbridge and Gulf Lead were ahead 2 to 10 cents.

A few jubilee golds edged upwards while Sigma dipped in seniors. Trading was quiet and only a handful of issues showed any changes.

(Name, Symbol, Sales, Bid, Ask)

INDUSTRIALS SECTION

	Bid	Ask
Acadia Atl Sugar "A"	25½	26½
Anglcoa Shawinig "A"	24½	26½
Bell Tel	39½	40½
Bruck Mills "A"	21	27
Bruck Mills "B"	8	10
Can Cement	19½	20½
B.C. Power Products	14½	15½
B.A. Oil	74	75
Can. Breweries	14½	15½
Can. Bread	20½	22
Can. Car & Foundry Com.	18	19
Can. Car & Foundry "A"	18	19
Can. Steamships, Com.	13	17½
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	50	55
Can. Canners "A"	18½	19½
Can. Canners "B"	18½	19½
Can. Celanese Com.	29	30
Can. Celanese Pfd.	30	31
Can. Chemical	24½	26½
C.I.L.	34	35
Commonwealth	21½	23½
Consolidated Paper	22	23
Consolidated Smelters	113	115½
Dist. Seagrams	34	35
Dominion Bridge	29½	30½
Dom. Stores	14½	15½
Dom. Tar & Chem	13½	14½
Dom. Steel & Coal "B"	15½	16½
Dom. Textile	110	112
Famous Players	13½	14½
Ford of Canada "A"	24½	26
Ford of Canada "B"	24	26
General Bakeries, Com.	9	10½
Great Lakes Paper	15	15½
Hamilton	27	29
Hiram Walker	28½	29½
Imperial Bank	34½	35½
Int. Nickel	34½	35½
Int. Paper	69½	70½
Int. Petroleum	74½	75
Labatt's (John)	30½	31½
Loblaws "A"	27½	28½
McColl-Frontenac	14½	15½
McColl-Frontenac Pfd.	99	101
Massey Harris	18	18½
Ogilvie Flour	22	23½
Ogilvies "B"	90	95
National Breweries	27½	31½
Northern Ont. Pipe	24½	25½
Penman	21	22
Quebec Power	27½	28½
Shawinigan	34½	35½
Steel Canada	29	30½
Steel of Canada Pfd.	25	26
Steel of Canada	24½	25½

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November 6 Poppy Day To Aid Living

Saturday, November 6, has been selected as "Poppy Day" for Greater Victoria, and Col. M. D. Rosenauer, chairman of this year's Remembrance Day Poppy Campaign, has received co-operation from Mayor Percy E. George and heads of all joining municipalities in planning the drive.

Prior to that date Canadian Legion canvassers will take orders for wreaths and poppies for business firms and various Greater Victoria organizations.

Col. Robertson noted yesterday that Poppy Day had two purposes—first, to remember those who gave their lives in defence of the freedom under which we live, and second, to help ex-servicemen whose disabilities or age prevent them from competing in the normal labor market . . . "and who only ask that we help them in their distress."

Proceeds from the sale of wreaths and poppies—made by veterans—go toward the second purpose. Motto for this year's Poppy Day will be "Honor the Dead by Helping the Living."

Destroyers, Planes Meet Kiwanians City-Bound for District Convention

Tomorrow morning will mark the opening of the Kiwanis International, Pacific Northwest District's 31st annual convention, to be held at the Empress Hotel for three days. The Victoria Kiwanis Club will act as host.

J. Denis Hagar, general convention chairman, said yesterday more than 800 delegates from a total of 188 clubs in British Columbia, Washington, Oregon and a section of Idaho were expected to attend the parley. Many will be accompanied by their wives.

Majority of the delegates are scheduled to reach the city today, and an elaborate welcome has been arranged. Two destroyers from the Esquimalt naval base will meet the Black Ball Ferry Lina's ferry Chinook as she crosses the International boundary line in the Strait of Juan de Fuca, and serve as escort vessels into the Inner Harbor. The Chinook will dock here at 8 a.m. The C.P.R.'s steamer, arriving here at 12:50 p.m., with another group of convention delegates from Seattle, will receive a similar escort into the harbor. A squadron of Harvards will also participate in the welcome.

This will be the third district convention of its kind in this city, since the international service club was founded, previous ones being in 1939 and 1930. Mr. Hagar is being assisted by Andrew M. Stewart, president of the Victoria Kiwanis Club, and F. Glenn Hope, who has been secretary of the local club for the past seven years.

Among high officials of Kiwanis International due here tomorrow morning are J. Belmont Mosser, president of Kiwanis International, from St. Marys, Pa., and Harold C. Jones, district secretary-treasurer. Already in Victoria is Ben Hazen, district governor, from Portland. It will be Mr. Mosser's first visit to Victoria since assuming his present Kiwanis post.

Registration for the parley starts this morning and continues throughout the day.

Many members of the Victoria club have taken a part in planning for this three-day meeting. Plans started several months ago, and officials of the local organization are confident this will be one of the most successful programs of its kind ever staged within the district.

Official business sessions of the convention will get under way tomorrow at 2.25 a.m. with an official opening extended by Mr. Hitasen. Mayor Percy E. George will officially welcome all delegates at 2.45 a.m. Tomorrow's program will also include a message from the district governor, a report from district secretary, Harold Jones, a large luncheon, panel discussions in the afternoon, and various banquets in the evening. Due to the large number of delegates, banquets will be held under four different roofs—the Empress Hotel ballroom, Main City Lane, Club Biroccu and the Empress Hotel grillroom.

On Tuesday the convention will assemble in the Empress Theatre, where highlights of the day will include the election of officers for the forthcoming year, reports of various committees, selection of next year's convention city, and an address by Rev. William Hills.

Tuesday afternoon has been left free for all delegates, allowing them time to tour the city and attend to shopping. There will be a golf tournament that afternoon. A banquet, governor's reception and dance will conclude Tuesday's activities.

Special arrangements have been made for visiting ladies, and a full program for their entertainment has been prepared by Mrs. Ralph Matthews and Mrs. Reginald Hayward, serving as joint chairmen. Monday afternoon will feature a sightseeing tour of the city for the ladies and a tea at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel. A tea and tour of the Provincial Museum has been scheduled for Tuesday afternoon.

Export Total Rises in Year

OTTAWA, Oct. 2 (CP).—Canada's exports to the United States—vital to the Dominion's dollar-saving program—rose 36 per cent between January to the end of August, the Bureau of Statistics announced.

The upward trend continued during August when exports were 30 per cent higher than in August last year.

Exports to Britain fell during August, a trend which has been apparent for several months. Canada's total exports, however, were about $80,000,000 higher in the first two-thirds of 1948 than in the corresponding period last year. The rise in the export total was almost 5 per cent.

Generally, exports were up to the hard-currency countries and down to those with dollar troubles.

August exports to the United States totalled $113,953,000, compared with $81,406,000 in the corresponding month last year. The eight-month total this year was $678,933,000. Last year it was $645,480,000.

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Three Doctors Set Up Institution For New Heart Disease Treatment

The three Ontario doctors who claim they have developed an effective treatment for heart disease announced this week they will immediately organize an institution where their claims can be proved.

It will be called the Shute Foundation for Medical Research and will be located in London, Ontario. The Federal Government granted it a charter some time ago.

The medical profession, which at first doubted the three doctors' Vitamin E treatment as much as it doubted Lou Green's arthritis cure, seems to be slowly changing its mind. An article in the latest issue of Coronet Magazine pointed out that the Vitamin E treatment has now been successful in so many cases that it is being accepted more and more widely.

The three doctors, Dr. Evan Shute and Dr. Arthur Vogelsang of London, and Dr. Wilfred Shute of Guelph, plan to equip and staff the Foundation so that doctors may come to study their methods, or send their patients for treatment.

THOUSANDS TREATED

In outlining their treatment for the leading killer-disease, the doctors state that they are convinced it is both safe and effective. If they are right, as J. D. Ratcliff said in Coronet, "They are destined to become medical immortals."

They have treated 4,000 patients with Vitamin E since they started their experiments in 1945. Hundreds of these have been restored to health and nearly all showed noticeable improvement.

When the new treatment was advanced, many doctors denounced the Vitamin E treatment as mainly a mental therapy. They scoffed at its results and said they had not been produced under strict scientific conditions.

The American Medical Association said: "The reported discovery of almost miraculous powers of Vitamin E needs careful evaluation and confirmation, because the substance has already been investigated by many competent clinicians and found wanting."

But in the two years since the treatment was announced publicly, medical journals have printed a heavy volume of data supporting the Shute-Vogelsang contention—experiments on cows, rats, rabbits, dogs, hamsters and monkeys.

COMMON VITAMIN

The vitamin that is causing all the excitement is the most common of all vitamins. This fact was cited by critics of the Vitamin E treatment as one of the reasons of their scepticism.

In reply, the Shutes and Vogelsang stated that heart disease is almost unknown among primitive peoples, until they start eating the processed food of civilized man. They claim that modern man removes the Vitamin E from many of his foods before he eats them.

The E-carrying germs are mostly removed from white flour before it goes into bread. Most of the Vitamin E in potatoes is in the peel which is thrown away, and in apples it is in the peel and core.

The increasing deficiency of Vitamin E in the modern diet, the Ontario doctors claim, accounts for the spread of heart disease.

According to the article in Coronet, a single pharmaceutical company in the United States now supplies 2,300 medical men with Vitamin E for treatment of heart disease. As yet not one critical report of the treatment has appeared in any medical journal.

Before the Shutes and Vogelsang took up study of Vitamin E, it had been most successful in treatment of reproduction troubles. Even after the discovery in 1922 it was labelled the "fertility vitamin."

Dr. Evan Shute, who had seen the power of the vitamin while practising obstetrics in London, suggested its investigation to a young medical student who was looking for a research project in the summer of 1945.

The student, Floyd Skelton, took the suggestion and carried on research at University of Western Ontario, in London. He noticed that the vitamin seemed to clear up haemorrhages under the skin of dogs, and reported the finding to Dr. Shute.

The first person on whom the treatment was tried was one of Dr Vogelsang's patients, in a London hospital. It was spectacularly successful and the doctors continued their investigations, with assistance from Dr. Wilfred Shute, of Guelph.

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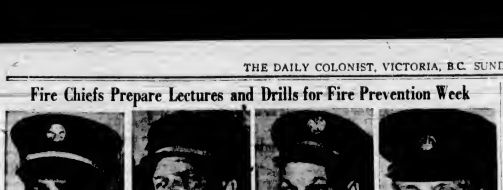

CHIEF R. T. BRINDLE — CHIEF E. G. CLAYARDS — CHIEF J. LAW — CHIEF G. STANCOMBE

Four Greater Victoria fire chiefs, pictured above, have prepared a program of lectures and fire drills prepared for observing Fire Prevention Week starting tomorrow. Week is observed throughout North America. Chiefs urge everyone to learn everything possible about fire prevention.

390 Canadians Died in 1947 Blazes

During 1947, 390 Canadians lost their lives as the result of fire, Fire Chief Robert T. Brindle said yesterday.

Chief Brindle said 39 men, women and children died from fires in British Columbia, the same year.

Sixteen of this number, he said, were children.

The chief made this announcement in connection with Fire Prevention Week which starts throughout the continent today.

Oak Bay Fire Chief E. G. Clayards, Saanich Fire Chief Joseph Law and Esquimalt Fire Chief Gilbert Stancombe are planning lectures and fire drills in schools during the week. Every method will be used to educate the public on the matter of fire prevention.

Property loss due to fire in Victoria during last year was $63,000. There were 416 fires with loss. The city department answered 830 alarms. There were no fatalities in 1947. In British Columbia during 1947, smokers' carelessness caused $2,532,187 damage.

"There is so much needless waste from fires throughout the country and worse still, valuable lives are lost and suffering caused, which is unnecessary and criminal," Chief Brindle said.

The fire chief said fire protection, like charity, begins at home. Carelessness, which the record proves is the largest contributing cause to the alarming loss of life and property, is a habit capable of correction, Chief Brindle declared.

"Fire Prevention Week is a week set aside yearly to arouse your consciousness of fire hazards. To be effective, it must be kept in mind, not only during this week, but each and every day throughout the year," stated Chief Brindle.

Club Calendar

MONDAY — Gyro Club luncheon, Chief Robert T. Brindle said yesterday. 12:15 p.m.

TUESDAY — Kiwanis Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:15 p.m.; Executive Club luncheon, Strathcona Hotel, 12:15 p.m.

THURSDAY — Rotary Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:15 p.m.; Optimist Club luncheon, Lougheed's Banquet Club, 12:15 p.m.

FRIDAY — Lions Club luncheon, Empress Hotel, 12:15 p.m.

Business matters will be discussed at this week's meeting of the Gyro Club, reports Secretary W. Hudson.

The Kiwanis Club luncheon will be attended by Victoria and Oak Bay Kiwanis Club members this week. The luncheon is being held in connection with the Kiwanis district convention, being attended by more than 300 delegates from the Pacific Northwest.

L. T. Watkins, transport superintendent for the Shell Oil Company in Bogota, Columbia, South America, will be guest speaker at the Victoria Rotary Club meeting.

Frank Brandi, executive member of Optimist International, from California, will be guest speaker at the Optimist Club.

Dennis W. N. Bailey, second year student at Victoria College, will be presented with a $100 bursary at the Lions Club meeting. Guest speaker will be Prof. J. A. Cunningham, vice-principal of the college.

Programs for other service clubs appear above have not been announced.

Bigger Crowd Closes Carnival

Lions Club Fall carnival swung to a close last night after a crowd of well in excess of Friday's turned up to pay their money and take their chances.

Prelim from the two-day midway in the Bay Street Armoury were expected to net a handsome profit for city charities.

Police difficulties in connection with the large bingo game delayed the opening for one day, but club members reported no further police action after the initial difficulties had been overcome.

"I'm not in jail," commented one Lion.

A feature of last night's program was four past presidents, Jack Paterson, E. N. Emery, Dr. Cliff Carr and Jim Roberts, digging into quarters of a pumpkin to count the seeds.

They found 808. The person who guessed that number will win a console radio and record player. If the total was guessed by more than one a second competition will be held among the winners. Prizewinner will be announced Monday.

Announcements

Mrs. Edith Ennis, well-known corsetiere, formerly of May Meighen's Corset Shop, opens a select corset department at Lyle's, 708 Pandora (opp. B.C. Electric bus depot), where you can be expertly fitted by reliable makes of corsetry as corselettes, girdles, front lace and maternity corsets, day or evening brassieres and garter belts. It will be a pleasure and privilege to attend you. C 2134. Corset alterations and home fittings if desired.

Victoria Symphony Society—Presents season's 1948-49—six concerts—Royal Theatre. Hans Gruber, conducting Victoria Symphony Orchestra. Vancouver Symphony Orchestra in two concerts; Jacques Singer, conducting. Box office open for season bookings only, every afternoon commencing Monday, October 4 at David Spencer's Radio Department.

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University Extension Association, first meeting Monday, October 4, in the Auditorium, College-Normal School on Richmond Road. Dr James G. St. Clair-Sobell, professor of Slavonic studies, University of British Columbia, "Present Soviet Policy in Europe."

Salvage Collection: The Salvation Army will pick up from your door salvage of all kinds. Used clothing shoes, furniture, your rags, household mattresses, carpets, rugs, cartoon boxes, newspapers, magazines, rendered fats. When you give it to the Army it is to help others. Phone G 7612.

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Miss Betty Sailer and Eileen East, of the Oak Bay Beauty Salon, are leaving today for a holiday in Mexico. On their return are attending the hairdressers' convention in Vancouver, opening their salon on October 31.

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J. T. Ellingsby, chartered masseur, formally Crystal Garden now established in the Williams Building, 708 Bredighton Street, Room No. 1, and will continue general practice. Telephone E 3913, office; G 1316 residence.

Sacred Heart Church annual bazaar, October 6 & 7 p.m., Lake Hill Community Hall. Well-made aprons, pieced quilts, sandy, knitted goods, fruit, vegetables, home cooking. Chicken dinner, $ to 7 p.m.

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Careless Smokers Get Blame For Most Fires in Oak Bay

Forty per cent of all fires in Oak Bay have been caused by careless smokers, according to Fire Chief E. G. Clayards.

Chief Clayards yesterday appealed to smokers to be more careful, making sure that matches and tobacco are out before being discarded.

"Although Fire Prevention Week occurs only once a year, I ask residents of Oak Bay to carry on the idea of this campaign continually," stated Chief Clayards.

The chief said the weather has been very influential so far this year, the cold weather causing many dwelling fires, but the damp Summer decreasing the number of grass and bush fires. He said it has been the fires in the homes which have caused the losses, already about $4,760.

"At this rate we shall soon surpass that of $5,600 for 1947, which was the highest loss in many years. For our own good it is imperative that everyone take fire prevention seriously and keep further losses to a minimum," stated Chief Clayards.

He said the decrease in the number of grass fires has been the dual result of the weather and the cooperation of the residents in notifying the department of their intention to burn rubbish. It is necessary to obtain permits for open fires at all times, and as the vegetation has remained green until September, no one has been refused a permit.

"Most fires are unnecessary. The twin objectives of Fire Prevention Week are to rid our homes and community of the hazards which account for the majority of fires and to focus attention on the careless habits which take such a high toll of life and property," the chief said.

NORMAL SCHOOL SOCIAL

The first Normal School social of the season was held Friday evening under the convenership of Miss Margaret Bracken. The varied program included dancing, bridge, table tennis and badminton. Refreshments were served. Those on the social committee were Miss Betty Shewy, Miss Willma Richardson, Miss Merle Thorne, Miss Pat Cirard, Mr. Bruce Kennedy, and Mr. Alan Mosher. Staff advisers were Miss W. Copeland and Miss J. Ryrie.

Dr. John M. Sturdy, D.C., Specific Chiropractor, wishes to announce the opening of his new offices, 1128 Blanshard Street. E 5054.

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Radio Program Used to Help School Studies

Pupils listened to the radio for half an hour in some Greater Victoria schools Friday afternoon as the Provincial School Broadcasts started for 1947-48.

Oldsters who were brought up under less imaginative methods might scoff at the thought, but the radio programs are tied in directly with class work and are becoming more and more popular with teachers.

"The radio has become a valuable teaching aid which supplements the more common classroom aids," Denis Brown, director of audio-visual instruction in Greater Victoria schools, said yesterday. "This year, for the entire educational year, and teachers use the broadcasts in conjunction with regular lessons."

F. T. Palmer, deputy minister of education, supervises the work. Actual preparation of programs is done by Phillip Kelley of CBR, Vancouver, in co-operation with Department of Education officials.

"These programs are not interludes of entertainment for either pupils or teachers," Mr. Brown pointed out. "It is merely a teaching method that is more vivid than most. Teachers have to work just as hard, or harder, when they use this teaching aid.

"However, they are assisted by bulletins issued them that outline the program. From these they can prepare for the class ahead of time and tie in with class work.

"A great deal of the value of the programs depends on the teacher's preparation for the broadcast and her ability to fit it in with the regular work."

Practically every school in Greater Victoria has a radio, Mr. Brown said, and teachers tune in to the programs whenever they think it will help them in any subject they are teaching. They can tell from their bulletins when the program will deal with a topic that would lie in with class work.

The programs are broadcast Monday through Friday at 3 p.m. Each Friday broadcast originates in Toronto, and the others originate in Vancouver.

Twice a week, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, the program is musical. On other days it deals with history, Canadian children's stories, art instruction and other subjects.

"The programs are particularly valuable for teaching social studies and music," Mr. Brown said. "In a broadcast, history can be made to live through proper characterization. A solid is likely to remember details about John A. MacDonald better if he has heard an actor speaking his part on the radio."

Rural areas have found the radio programs of considerable value, he said.

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Fishing Vessel Near Completion

—Photo by Roy Pitman

Nearing completion at Brentwood is the sturdily-built fishing vessel Kevala, owned by Capt. E. J. Taylor, Victoria. Thirty-eight feet overall, and built for heavy service on West Coast fishing grounds, 13-ton vessel is powered with a Simplex G-35 marine engine, and has facilities for carrying 18,000 pounds of iced fish at one time. Kevala is equipped with all latest navigational aids, including automatic pilot, radio-telephone, direction-finder and echo-sounder. Vessel is now being rigged for commercial fishing. Capt. Taylor formerly owned fishing craft Mon Caprice.

Motorship To Be Link With Hawaii

MARINE NEWS

Erria, a combination passenger and cargo vessel with accommodation for 84 passengers, is now on her way to this coast and will proceed from here to the Hawaiian Islands to pick up cargo to be brought to this port.

British Columbia residents will have the opportunity of making a return trip to the Hawaiian Islands on the same ship. It will be the first time such a trip has been possible from this port, and it is due to the U.S. Pacific Coast maritime strike.

The Danish motorship, whose results run in between Copenhagen and Pacific Coast ports, will be temporarily switched because of the strike south of the border.

The ship is scheduled to leave this port for the Hawaiian Islands toward the end of this month. She will take some cargo from here to Honolulu. In the Hawaiian Islands she will load cargo for Victoria and other British Columbia ports.

To Load Coal

So, Lake Albahasha, Canadian freighter, will be at Union Bay within several days to take on a full load of coal for Japan, reports shipping agent Ken Briggs, of King Bros. Ltd. The ship was originally scheduled to call here for a load of lumber for South Africa.

The Danish ship Verlby, which arrived here Thursday to load lumber for South Africa, left this port last night for Nanaimo where additional cargo will be loaded prior to her heading for open sea.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Mariners are advised that a flashing white light has been established on Southey Point, Houston Passage, B.C. The announcement is made by T. E. Morrison, acting agent for the Department of Transport here.

Shipper Dies

F. J. Warren, 80, dean of Halifax shipping men and founder and president of the steamship firm which bore his name, died yesterday. A native of Wales, he came to Halifax 55 years ago.

Ports of Call

Ports of call during the Winter season for the Canadian National Steamships' vessels Canadian Challenger and Canadian Cruiser have been announced by Capt. R. A. Clarke, general manager of the line.

Sailing from Halifax, three two Canadian motor vessels will make 18-day round trip voyages to Nassau and Jamaica, returning either to Halifax or St. John, N.B. First cruise of the Canadian Challenger is scheduled for the latter part of December.

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Julian A. Palerton, chief purser in the Grace Line's ship Santa Rosa, and well known in shipping circles of the Pacific Coast, has been awarded the company's 20-year service medal, report officials of the line. Palerton has been chief purser with the Santa Rosa since her return to peacetime service last year.

Goes Ashore

Capt. John Park, a veteran of 50 years seafaring in sail and steam, yesterday "swallowed the anchor" at Vancouver, to end his career as a master mariner.

Capt. Park spent 27 years as a British Columbia Coast pilot. With a master's ticket in both sail and steam, his activities carried him into waters all over the world.

In 1942 his ship, the Sa. Ocean Venus, was torpedoed by the Germans while operating for the British Ministry of Shipping. He received a special citation from the King for his war service.

New Duties

Commissioning of the 153-foot motor vessel Cedarwood, to be used on oceanographic duties on the Pacific Coast, was announced yesterday by Naval Headquarters at Ottawa.

The vessel, commissioned at Esquimalt, will be under the command of Lieut.-Cmdr. J. K. Wolfenden, of Vancouver.

The Cedarwood, built at Lunenburg, N.S., in 1941, sailed from Halifax to Vancouver in 1946 and was on target-towing duties for the army until the navy took her over in 1947.

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Burrard Dry Dock	12½	15
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Dominion Bridge	30	32
Dominion Foundry & Steel Ltd.	32	33½
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Fed. "A" of Canada	34½	35
Ross Oil Co. Ltd.	2 10	2 30
Hamilton Bridge	25	26½
Imperial Tobacco	13½	14½
Imperial Tobacco 6%, Pfd.	24½	25½
Int. Nickel Co. Com.	35½	36½
Int. Metal Ind. Com.	34	35
Int. Nickel	34	34½
Int. Petroleum	18½	19
Loblaw "A"	32½	34½
McColl-Frontenac 6%, Pfd.	98	100
McColl-Frontenac, Com.	19	20
Montreal Locomotive Works	18	19½
Mt. Cons. Mining & Ltd.	12½	13
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The Golden Tide . . .

The Golden Tide is surging out of the West again. Garnered from the fertile fields of the Prairie Provinces, grain by the millions of bushels is on the move to inland and coast elevators. Already more than 40,000,000 bushels have been poured into the twenty-six storage and shipping elevators at the Head of the Lakes from 21,000 freight cars over Canadian Pacific and Canadian National lines. Harvesting over, the peak of shipments has been reached. Unlike the Head of the Lakes, Vancouver shipments by vessel continue the year round. At Port Arthur and Fort William, grain carriers by the score will clear daily until navigation closes in December.

—Canadian Pacific Railway Photos.

Here, in the shadow of the Canadian Rockies on the plains of Southern Alberta a substantial portion of Canada's crop was harvested this year.

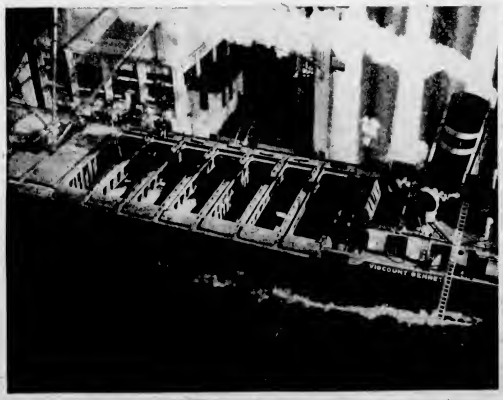
Flanked by the snow-capped peaks of the Rockies the rolling fields of Alberta produced hundreds of thousands of bushels of top-grade wheat.

Although mechanized equipment predominates on the farms of Western Canada, horses still play a vital part in some areas in helping to harvest the crop.

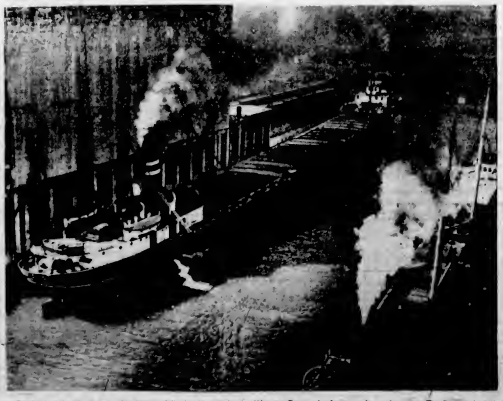
Here the wheat flowed into trucks from the threshing machine. It was taken directly from the field to the storage elevator on the railway siding and later loaded into boxcars.

From huge spouts attached to the side of the elevator the grain pours into the holds of the ships at the rate of 18,000 to 20,000 bushels an hour. A ship with a capacity of 400,000 bushels can be loaded in as little time as five and half hours.

Some elevators still use the old "sweat board" method of unloading cars. Here two men enter the car with board-like shovels attached to a set of automatic gears by means of a cable and pulley. An experienced team empty about two cars an hour.



Lake steamers, some with a capacity of over half a million bushels tie up along side the elevators to take on their cargoes of grain. From there it is carried to eastern lake ports in Canada and the United States where it is transferred to boxcars again and shipped to the Atlantic coast and eastern markets.



Trimmed, and with all but a few hatches full of golden grain, the Viscount Bennett is almost ready to clear port. The Bennett is typical of the larger steel grain carriers which operate on the Great Lakes.

Science in Fire-Fighting— By GORDON FORBES

WITH the ever-increasing advances being made by modern science, water may be losing its supremacy as a fire-fighting agent.

For centuries water was considered as the only effective medium for putting out fires, having been the first fire extinguishing agent generally employed.

However, in recent years the use of chemicals in fire-fighting equipment has increased tremendously as a visit to any well-equipped and modern fire department will verify. Scientists are forever striving to discover even more effective fire extinguishing agents than now exist.

A trip through the Victoria Fire Department's headquarters would be a revelation to the average man in the street who never gets any closer to a fire truck than to crane his neck to watch one streak down the street.

EDUCATION PROGRAM

Fire Chief Robert T. Brindle, with other chiefs all over the continent, is forever endeavoring to educate the public on this matter of fire—one of which occurs every five minutes in America.

In order to understand and compare the various extinguishing agents, the layman should know the classification of fires.

A "Class A" fire is one which involves ordinary combustible materials where the quenching and cooling effects of quantities of water, or solutions containing large percentages of water, are of prime importance.

Probably the most interesting piece of fire-fighting equipment is the foam extinguisher, which is used on Class B fires (oil and gas blazes). The "foam" contains a solution of water, bicarbonate of soda, and a foam-making ingredient in the outlet part of the extinguisher. The foam blankets and smothers fire, and because the extinguisher contains a great deal of water, it is also effective on ordinary combustibles (Class A).

PRODUCING FOAM

On a larger scale, the foam is produced by a generator which can be transported from one place to another. It generates a continuous stream of foam. Its operation consists of feeding powders into a "hopper" and forcing water under pressure from fire engines or hydrants through an ejector type of device which draws the powder in and mixes it with water, producing foam as desired. One pound of foam powder makes about eight gallons of foam.

All Victoria oil companies carry supplies of the foam powder. They are kept in readiness and in case of fire these supplies augment those of the fire department.

Carbon tetrachloride extinguishers also are used on fires in small quantities of inflammable liquids. When the liquid comes in contact with heat, it turns into a heavy vapor which blankets and smothers fire. It is a non-conductor of electricity.

Soda and acid extinguishers are effective on incipient fires in ordinary combustible materials, such as wood, paper, textiles. The extinguisher contains water in which bicarbonate of soda has been dissolved. A bottle in top of the extinguisher contains sulphuric acid, and when turned upside down, the chemicals mix, forming a gas which forces the water out of the extinguisher.

Soda and acid extinguishers are dangerous to use around electric fires where high voltages are present. Fresh water is also a good conductor of electricity.

The carbon dioxide extinguisher has a horn-like nozzle through which carbon dioxide gas escapes when a valve is opened. The gas blankets and smothers fire. It also is a non-conductor of electricity. The release of the gas to atmosphere causes the formation of carbon dioxide "snow", a white snow-like substance of intense coldness. This show has tremendous cooling power, and the gas released by the extinguisher has a high extinguishing effect, with the result that this type of extinguisher is becoming very popular for certain applications. Its use is recommended for electrical fires.

So commonly is water used in putting out fires that the question of just how it functions is seldom given any thought. Water's action in extinguishing a fire may be segregated as follows: 1, cooling of the heated and burning materials below ignition point, 2, smothering action of water on burning materials; and 3, smothering action of steam produced by vaporization of water thrown on the fire.

When water is applied to burning material it absorbs heat from the material and if it absorbs enough to bring the temperature of the material down below the ignition point, combustion is stopped. The smothering action is produced by the water when it completely covers the burning portion of the material; even though the covering is only microscopic. When water covers the material it prevents oxygen in usable form from reaching the fire.

Steam is produced when the heat of the fire in the burning materials is intense and its duration sufficient to heat the water to vaporization point and then vaporize it. The steam so produced, if not carried away as quickly as it is generated, accumulates until it forms a blanket which smothers the fire. The smothering effect is produced by the steam preventing free oxygen from reaching the fire.

Special type "fog nozzles" are seen in operation in above picture. Specially-designed nozzles produce fine water spray which reduces amount of water damage to property and blankets fire very effectively.

Lieut. Karl Mills and Fireman Roy Chudleigh are pictured above operating foam generator. Chudleigh holds powder which will be poured into "hopper." Water is forced through a lower pipe at nozzle which draws the powder in and mixes it with water, producing foam. All Victoria oil companies carry supplies of foam powder. It is used to fight oil or gas fires (Class B).

Firemen Jo Broadwell, William Jones and David Mackgrath are seen in above picture using "foam." Capt. James Robertson (background) directs stream. Thick foam can be seen in foreground of picture. This foam blankets and smothers fire.

Couple of Kippers on the Island

By CAROL CAWKWELL

AS an English girl touring Canada last year, with a view to eventual settling, I had no hesitation whatever, in selecting Victoria as my future home. I made many good friends while on Vancouver Island and among them was Johnny, who insisted upon calling me a "Kipper." When I asked "Why?" he replied "All Englishmen are Kippers — they always eat them for breakfast." I laughed. I'd been called a "Limey" in the States, but a "Kipper" was a new one on me. I pointed out that in England even kippers were scarce nowadays, but no dice—to Johnny I was still a Kipper. However, knowing Johnny himself had been born in England, I decided to take it as a compliment, and so accepted my new status as a Kipper with good grace.

At the end of my tour I returned to England and hurried another Kipper, and as soon as we could catch a boat we crossed that 6,800-mile trip from one island to another—to that other little bit of England out in the Pacific. As our boat pulled into Victoria's inner harbor I experienced the same thrill as I again took in the picturesque Parliament Buildings and sweeping lawns, the stately Empress Hotel and those fascinating baskets of flowers, spilling cascades of color. My husband was enthralled with his new home on the spot. And so, filled with hope for a new and better future, a couple of Kippers stepped ashore.

A big welcome awaited us from friends and relations and everyone was most kind and helpful to the two new English emigrants. The thing that impressed us both most of all was the deep, patriotic sentiment expressed by most Victorians for the Old Country—a loyalty which we found very heart-warming.

My husband was lucky enough to secure a good position almost immediately, and I hoofed a small apartment for us. So within a couple of weeks we were settled in our new life.

It was a great delight to me to see all the English china, British woolens and tweeds, etc., on display in Victoria—goods rarely seen in England, where everything goes for export. But the greatest joy of all was to push a little buggy round grocery shelves laden with good food. No ration books, no coupons, no points! As much sugar, bacon, butter, etc., as I could afford. I was in heaven and promptly overspent my first week's housekeeping allowance!

We never tire of the unsurpassed scenic wonders of Vancouver Island. With the aid of an old jalopy we have taken in many of the beauty spots, including a variety of bays, beaches and islands. Such scenes as the Malahat, marine across Oak Bay, the utter peace of Shawnigan Lake, the floral wonderland of Butchart's Gardens and unforgettable sunsets at Deep Cove, are things worth writing home about.

After three months in Victoria we are settling down happily to our new life. We have a little garden, and Binkie, a typical Canadian housewife, is initiating me into the art of canning. She has great hopes of our becoming real Canucks in time. And who knows, one day, we may solve the mystery of Victoria's ever-changing bus routes!

The other day we were out at Langford Country Fair enjoying a performance of the English "Smile Show," produced by that King of Kippers, Jerry Gosley. The show's all-Kipper cast are as B.A.F. boys who have returned to this country to settle. Jerry, who has traveled in many countries, considers there is no better place to live than on Vancouver Island.

We agree. So may a couple of appreciative Kippers say "Thanks to Canada for having us! It's a great country, and we're very glad we came!"

On the Records

Reviews of the Newest Recordings of Music in Concert, Solo and Popular

By DAVID C. WHITNEY

CONCERT MUSIC

NEW YORK.—To butter up the pretty, young wife of his best friend for the purpose of seduction, Wagner set few of his poems to music. That is illuminating background for listening to the five songs, which include the familiar "Treaumr" and "Schmerzen," now recorded by Eileen Farrell, soprano, accompanied by Leopold Stokowski and his symphony orchestra. (RCA Victor, three 12-inch).

Such sensuousness! Miss Farrell augments a vocal magnificence with a high scale of emotional realizations. Stokowski floats her yearning, vivifying tones in Wagner's haunting harmonies with knowing skill. In addition, the recording is nearly perfect. All this makes for a listening experience and an understanding of why Frau Mathilde Wesendonck is said to be immortalized also in the passionate music of "Tristan and Isolde."

"THE BLESSED DAMOZEL"

To couple Wagner and Debussy is appropriate when it is the Debussy of "The Blessed Damosel," a setting of Rossetti's poem for female voices and orchestra. That was the young Debussy who was so heavily under the Wagnerian influence he used many a gob of "Parsifal" in materializing his damosel, although she is infused, too, with the ingredients which were to be distilled later into pure Debussy.

For the first American recording of this interesting if not wholly engrossing work, we are indebted to Hilde Reggio, soprano; Rosalind Nadell, contralto — a new voice on records and a pleasing one, the Philadelphia Orchestra and the Women's Chorus of the University of Pennsylvania (Columbia, three 12-inch). Miss Reggio's singing of the Damosel is exquisitely ethereal. The chorus is not quite up to professional standards although adequate for what is required. The recording is only fair.

"IMPOSSIBLE" SCORE

No less a pianist than Harold Bauer told Isaac Albanis to his face that parts of his piano suite, "Iberia," was impossible to play. Albeniz laughed heartily and said any pianist who took the trouble could play it all. Claude Arrau has given the first complete recording and he proves the composer to have been quite right. (Columbia, five 12-inch).

Arrau not only took the trouble to master the playing, he took the trouble to perfect the flashing multi-colors and the enlivening rhythms so spontaneously they seem to come into being of their own impetus. Having heard his playing of the first two books, you want him to record the last two. It's not at all great music but it is entertaining music with moments of bewitchment.

For the ready opulence of the well-blown oboe being exercised with substantial music, try Robert Bloom's recording of Handel's oboe sonata in C minor. Bloom is one of the great masters of the unjustly maligned instrument. (RCA Victor; 12-inch single).

Your Child and YOU—

CHILD SHOULD UNDERSTAND

By LETTICE E. STREETT

DEAR Mrs. Streett: We have only one child, who is now ten years old, nice looking, has lots of friends and has good marks at school. We've never had any trouble with her and we try not to spoil her, but she has a bad fault. She doesn't tell the truth.

When she was little, we laughed at her tall tales because they were funny. But now the things she tells us seem so real, we fall for them and she often makes trouble between people. Her teacher talked to me about it and I was very upset. Enid was telling everybody that I had bought two fur coats and six pairs of shoes and wore expensive dresses, and that's why she didn't have a plaid skirt she wanted.

You can see how upset I am because Enid not only tells lies but she doesn't seem to have any family loyalty. The teacher says she is the brightest pupil in her English class and she suggested that we try to encourage her to write compositions, but not using her father, mother and home as the background. Do you think this is a good idea? How can I stop her from telling these terrible stories?

Answer: Yes, I think the teacher's suggestion is excellent. Perhaps Enid is a budding fiction writer! Any talent should be encouraged.

It is naturally upsetting to you to hear of your little daughter's tall tales, but try not to exaggerate the situation. There is a thin line between out and out lying and imagination expressed in words. When children are little, there is an even haziier difference between fact and fancy. It is not at all unusual for a youngster to begin telling some incident during the day and as he weaves the story, he becomes so enchanted by the plot that it becomes more fantastic. He is so carried away by his imagination that he believes what he is saying.

In listening to a child's amazing tale, parents should show a friendly interest and listen patiently to the end of the story. When the youngster has finished, the father, mother or whoever is the audience should say something like this, "What an exciting story! I enjoyed it very much, but, of course, I know it is make-believe."

Did you speak this way to Enid when she was little or did you chuckle at her funny little stories and let it go at that?

When an imaginative child grows older, he or she can tell tales so cleverly, they seem plausible, just as Enid does now. She is old enough to understand the difference between truth and fairy tales, and it is high time for her to learn that she cannot fool people. She should realize the importance of telling the truth. You and your husband should talk to her in a friendly but firm manner and say that you will not tolerate these untruthful stories. Each time you catch her, bring it up right away. If a child's imaginative tales are accepted as fact, he will think his words are countenanced.

These fantastic stories may stem from Enid's desire for something she wants or possibly from some fear she has. Invite Enid's friends to your home constantly, let her spend the week-ends with other children, send her to camp and let her have guests during vacations.

Fooling Some of the People By PETER DAVIS

IT doesn't take much to fool the world. Not long ago a message was found at Darvel, Ayrshire, to the effect that the writer had many years previously passed a quantity of gold. A chart revealing the whereabouts of the treasure was the writer continued, hidden in a cranny of a certain old bridge. Sure enough, the chart was discovered, and was found to give particulars of the treasure being in an old quarry—and a gold rush began.

Men, women and children armed with all manner of digging implements marched in their hundreds to the homely "Klondike." They were digging for a week before a mother confessed that her schoolboy son had prepared the papers and hidden them.

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Soon it will be 35 years since a so-called journalist claimed to have discovered the body of Lord Kitchener buried on a lonely part of the Norwegian coast. He even brought the coffin back to England with full ceremony to allow a police inquest on the corpse. The leaden box was found to be full of stones.

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Even recently, a Scottish housewife, Mrs. Duncan, made thousands of people believe in her psychic powers. People in every sentiment read with interest the reports of "materializations" which occurred while she fell into a nonlucrative trance. Then a scientific investigator gravely published an analysis of the "telaplasm" from which the spirit-forms developed. The medium formed the spooks from the cheesecloth, which she swallowed and regurgitated.

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A 13-year-old girl succeeded in pulling the legs of literary men the world over. A competition was held for original manuscripts by children, and the young deceiver produced a story entitled "The Cuckoo, the Nightingale, and the Ass." After the prize had been awarded somebody discovered it to be a word-for-word copy of a story by an 18th century writer.

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Then Jean Callico, eager for notoriety, attacked the altitude record in an airplane, and was acclaimed for reaching 45,893 feet. His instrumente had been faked.

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We may smile at the foolishness of the Washington politicians who promised their warmest support when Stalin pleaded their co-operation in attending to the injustices inflicted upon Guatemala and Newfoundland, "the only two States of the United States of America not represented in the Senate at Washington." But who has not been hoaxed?

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All the learned scholars of Oxford University were once humbugged by a French waiter who, claiming to be a Formosan, offered to translate the Bible into his mother tongue. Church dignitaries jumped at the opportunity and the unskilled labor lived comfortably with all expenses paid until his great work was completed. Even when his scurrilous life was extended while he compiled an English-Formosan dictionary. It took a long time for anyone to discover that no such language as Formosan existed!

Little Church Around Corner Has 100 Years of Service

By MILDRED FAULK

NEW YORK.—On the first Sunday in October, 1848, the first service of the small parish of the Church of the Transfiguration was held in a private New York home. In this 100 years since, the church, later famous as the Little Church Around the Corner, has made friends the world over and has the special warm affection of thousands of brides and actors.

More than 75,000 couples have been married here in the last century, sometimes at the rate of more than 40 a day. Besides providing a beautiful setting, the church is said to be a lucky place to be married. A testament to this belief is the bride's altar, built from funds contributed by couples married in the church. Jewels given by brides and the tabernacle door The central panels of the reredos are three handsome carvings of black English oak, more than 400 years old, taken from a dismantled Scotch monastery.

HAD THREE RECTORS

An impressive tribute to the regard in which the little church is held is in the permanence of all its associations. There have been only three rectors in 100 years. The founder, Rev. Dr. George Hendric Houghton, served for 49 years. His nephew, Rev. Dr. George Clarke Houghton, his immediate successor, served from 1897 to 1928, at which time the present rector, Rev. Dr. Randolph Ray, was appointed.

The church's circle of acquaintances grows each day as sightseers make it a must on their itineraries. Last year 50,000 visitors roamed around the peaceful green oasis of the garden just off Fifth Avenue and surrounded by the city's skyscrapers.

Open to visitors each day after the 8 a.m. services until 5 p.m., the church maintains the tradition set by the first Dr. Houghton of never being closed at any hour for emergency or illness. In Dr. Houghton's time a light burned all night outside the church to tell the world that he was available if needed.

The identification of the church with the theatrical profession began in 1870 with the often repeated incident from which it received its name of Little Church Around the Corner. When George Holland, an actor, died, his friend, Joseph Jefferson, went to a church to arrange for a funeral. The rector refused to perform the ceremony because it was for an actor, but offered the information that there was a little church around the corner where they did that kind of thing. "God bless the little church around the corner!" said Jefferson.

A considerable part of the physical characteristics of this church stems from this association with the theatrical profession. Many of the finest memorials are dedicated to the greatest names of the stage. Jefferson, John Drew, Edwin Booth and Richard Mansfield are among those to whom windows are dedicated. Such names as Minnie Maders Fiske and Will Rogers are memorialized on bronze tablets in the roll of honor on the north aisle of the church. An actors' memorial window bears the inscription, "In honor of all actors and actresses who for the love of Christ have served."

The centennial sermon in October will be delivered by Rev. Shirley Carter Hughson, Order of the Holy Cross, who has known all three rectors of the church.

Liverpool: Birthplace of Railways--

By W. HOLTON

Panoramic view of Gladstone Docks.

Brunswick Gardens Housing Scheme.

Liverpool Waterfront.

British Official Photos.

WHEREVER you go in the city of Liverpool you can't get away from the sound of steamer sirens. Even in the densest part of the city you hear them above the clanging of the tramcars. That, of course, is to be expected in the second seaport of the world.

Built on the high land overlooking the banks of the river Mersey, Liverpool has always been a port. In 1207, King John of England took over the cluster of buildings standing there to turn them into a harbor from which he might conquer Ireland. He did not succeed, but Liverpool became a port and has never looked back.

Over 35 miles of docks are built along both sides of the Mersey, the first was erected in 1715, and was added to as Britain's industry expanded. Docks are still being planned; one of them, the Gladstone Dock, is the largest in the world, able to take the line Queen Mary, and equipped with every modern facility demanded by a world-wide commerce. The warehouses can take two and a half million tons of merchandise, the Stanley Tobacco warehouse being more capacious than any other dockside warehouse, while the Cold Stores can accommodate 80,000 tons of meat.

IMPORTANT INDUSTRIAL AREA

Eleven and a half million tons of traffic pass through the docks every year, grain, cotton, tobacco, wool, oil and meat are among the imported cargoes, and textiles, metals, machinery and chemicals are the principal exports. Of these imports, grain for flour milling, sugar for refining, tobacco for curing, seeds and nuts for oil and hides for leather, are dealt with along the Merseyside, which make Liverpool also an important industrial area.

First and foremost Liverpool is a port, and during World War II it played its most important part in history. Owing to its position it was not so vulnerable to sea and air attacks as other harbors, and every advantage was taken of the fact. In every way it was the gateway of Britain during those momentous years.

Unlike many important English cities, Liverpool is of comparative recent growth. Three hundred years ago it was described by its inhabitants as "a very poor and mean place." It is, however, thought possible that they were pleading poverty to save their town from taxes. But both the growth of the cotton trade in Britain, especially in Manchester, and the tremendous increase in the imports of raw cotton from the United States, Liverpool began to thrive on its shipping industry.

It became a great distributing centre for other commodities beside cotton, especially foodstuffs for the increasing population of Lancashire. Canals were made from Liverpool to the big manufacturing centres, the first in 1761 being the Bridgewater Canal, which is still working. Before this canal was cut Manchester had only 20,000 people, while Liverpool was described as a village. The Bridgewater Canal changed two small places into great and flourishing communities.

DAWN OF PROGRESS

Canals did great duty for about 50 years and then came the dawn of the railroad. A light railway had been built as an experiment between Stockton and Darlington, a few miles from Liverpool. In its first test the train traveled at 18 miles an hour with wagons loaded with coal and flour and 30 wagons packed with people.

Liverpool shippers were impressed. Raw cotton was taking longer to get from Liverpool to Manchester, just over 30 miles away, than it did to come from America. They decided to build the Liverpool and Manchester railway. The famous engineer George Stephens was invited to design a locomotive to draw the trains. He built the world famous "Rocket," which, in its test, averaged 14 miles per hour and at times reached the then fabulous speed of 30 miles per hour.

That trip was one of the most important events in the history of the world. It was the dawning of the railway age. All the railways that now encircle the earth, totaling nearly a million miles, have grown out of the Liverpool and Manchester Railway. It was an English idea and an English invention.

The development of steam power led to the introduction of the steamship and the commercial pioneers of Liverpool were quick to make use of it. In 1840, Sir Samuel Cunard, the founder of the steamship line that bears his name, obtained a Government contract to carry mails to America and the steamship Britannia made her first trip from Liverpool, taking 14 days, eight hours. It was the first ocean steamship to ply across the Atlantic.

Ships play a great part in the lives of Liverpool folk. The city and many of its suburbs, including the stripping town of Birkenhead, are divided by waterways and there is, consequently, much traffic by the Liverpool ferry steamers, the finest craft of their type in the world. Well over 30 million passengers are carried every year and nearly half a million vehicles.

FAMOUS MERSEY TUNNEL

To improve this method of communication between Liverpool and Birkenhead there was opened in 1934 the famous Mersey tunnel, one of the greatest engineering feats of the century. It is the largest sub-aqueous work of its kind in the world, being a road 36 feet wide, carrying four lines of traffic. It is purely for motor vehicles and cycles, and a wonderful type of ventilation is in use by which two and a quarter million feet of fresh air is delivered into the tunnel every minute.

A trip through it is like travelling through a huge, clean, brightly-lighted drain. It cost over £7 million and took nine years to build. Some three and a half million vehicles use the tunnel yearly, carrying over four million passengers.

While Liverpool is proud of its tunnel it is also proud of its many fine buildings, especially those belonging to the big business corporations. St. George's Hall, is, however, considered the city's crowning architectural feature, a magnificent Roman style building, with Corinthian columns used partly for administration of the law and partly for civic functions.

The Walker Art Gallery, nearby, houses an excellent collection of popular and well-known paintings, a feature being a group of works of the Pre-Raphaelite School. Libraries and museums adjoin the Gallery, the Hornby Library of Fine Arts containing a fine collection of engravings. The University is a more modern building about 40 years old, and beside the canal facilities, provides accommodation for various branches of engineering and naval architecture.

But the dominating building of the city is the new Cathedral. It is still in the course of construction and is not only notable for its size but for the fact that it is the second English cathedral built in the 20th century, the other one being at Truro, Cornwall. It is built of red sandstone, quarried locally, and stands on the highest part of the city, enabling it to be seen well out at sea.

The tower when complete will be 330 feet above the ground level and the building's exterior length is 619 feet. An unusual aspect of its construction is that it is built in sections, each one being finished with furnishings and decorations before the next section is begun.

There is also a new Roman Catholic cathedral in process of building, its outstanding feature being a great dome 168 feet in diameter. The cathedral will have 53 altars and through the western porch is the narthex—a covered space which will be open day and night and kept warm, forming a spiritual sanctuary for the old and destitute.

PRIDE OF THE CITY

The two cathedrals are the special pride of Liverpool. Like most Lancastrians, the Liverpool man takes two things very seriously, religion and mechanical contrivances. He also shares the county passion for music and the St. George's Hall organ recitals have been a weekly feature for 70 years.

Because of its contact with the sea, Liverpool is more cosmopolitan than any other city in Lancashire; it also has big Scotch and Irish colonies. Ulster men form a particularly large proportion of the population and Liverpool Irish can be met all over the world.

They all share a delight in their city, however, and realize that there is much to be done to modernize it. But the official idea is not to confine such a plan to the city of Liverpool, but link it up with a development along Merseyside, bringing in a share of other areas which are either centres with industries dependent upon Liverpool, for the dormitory towns for Liverpool's workers.

The Liverpool of the future is going to be more than a port, it will be a collection of communities that constitute Merseyside.

Television to Hunt Lost Atlantis

By ALISON BARNES

LONDON—Although still largely in the experimental stage, it is believed that underwater television can probe the secrets of world history back to 9600 BC and discover whether a continent once existed in the Atlantic Ocean between the West Indies and the Canary Islands. That this continent did exist was first propounded by the Greek philosopher, Plato, in 460 B.C.—more than 2,000 years ago. So far, underwater television has been used by the United States Navy to assess the effects of the Bikini atomic-bomb explosion.

A modern expedition, equipped both with radar and submarine television, is now being projected in London by Sheriecently formed Atlantis research centre, which has active United States affiliations including those with Meade Layne and his associates, David Dagmar and Vincent Gaddis, of the Round Robin, of San Diego, Calif., and Floyd Shatuck, of the Atlantean Research Society, Brady Lake, O., as well as representatives in Australia, Australia, France, French Morocco, Germany, Italy, Portugal and South Africa.

SLOPES OF AZORES

Probable goal of the expedition on current plans is the precipitous slopes of the Azores where any existing remains of prehistoric civilization would be in a better state of preservation than those buried under innumerable layers of mud many fathoms below the ocean on the central bed of the Atlantic.

Behind this vast project, which aims to push the deadline of history back 4,000 years, is a genial, middle-aged Englishman, author, journalist and traveler named Egerton Sykes, who first made the study of Atlantis his hobby 25 years ago. At the outbreak of war in 1939 he was in Warsaw and had collected the world's biggest and most comprehensive reference library on the subject. What happened to that unique collection nobody knows, except the Germans who ransacked his home.

Many of the volumes were irreplaceable, but, undaunted and after six years spent on war service in the Middle East, Sykes succeeded in building up a new library of some 1,200 books in all European languages, most of which are indexed and cross-referenced and which are now at the disposal of members of the Atlantis Research Institute in London.

JOURNEY TO PERSIA

Interviewed at his London headquarters, Sykes said that, in addition to his proposed expedition to the Azores, he plans to visit Persia, Central and South America and the West Indies and possibly also the Rift Valley in South Africa, all of which he believes are rich in Atlantean evidence.

"At the moment," Sykes said, "both Persia and the new world are out of the question owing to currency restrictions. My only hope of raising the necessary dollars to finance the American end of the project is to visit the United States, which I hope to do shortly."

Suggestions already have been made that Sykes should give a series of lectures in the United States and Canada.

Summarizing the evidence in favor of the existence of Atlantis, Sykes said: "Look at the similar man-made customs to be found on both sides of the Atlantic basin. Unless you are prepared to accept the existence of a bridge between the two worlds, how can you explain the simultaneous invention of mummification in Chili, Peru, the Canaries and Egypt? Why should the idea of building pyramids have occurred independently to the Mayas and the Egyptians? Was it just coincidence that the courage—the system whereby the father goes to bed after the birth of the child—was initiated both in the Mediterranean basin and in Central America? The megalithic and cyclopean structures dotted all over the upper reaches of the Amazon are of similar design to those found in Europe and the North African coast."

Sykes declared that these similarities certainly suggest, even to the most sceptical, that they are derived from a single inspiration and that a culture, mainly of the Stone Age, once bridged the Atlantic Ocean and united Europe with America.

But even if a modern expedition can establish the existence of Atlantis, the question remains: what happened to the continent and its people?

STORIES OF FLOODS

Sykes explained that "there was a flood of great magnitude that could only have been caused by the force of gravity being brought into play either terrestially or cosmically. This, incidentally, must have given rise to the 400 or more flood stories to be found in the legends of all races living around the Atlantic basin.

"The most probable explanation of the flood," Sykes said, "is that advanced by the Austrian engineer, Hans Hoerbiger, that the moon, then a small planet between the earth and Mars, was gradually drawn into the earth's gravitational sphere until finally it was captured and turned into a satellite. Such a struggle between two terrestial bodies would be quite capable of causing the ocean waters from the Polar regions to pile up into a huge girdle tide around the equator, which would certainly swamp low-lying lands such as Atlantis would have been."

Sykes' world-wide organization is supported actively by such experts as H. S. Bellamy, author of "The Atlantis Myth" and many other books; F. L. Ashton, author of "Atlas, That Great City;" and Harold T. Wilkins, expert and writer of the ancient cities of South America, and by the surviving members of the Hoerbiger Institute.

Thus, for the first time since Plato, a concentrated and practical effort has been made to co-ordinate the work of geologists, historians, geographers, anthropologists and ethnologist, all of whom are working in their own individual ways toward the solution of the most fascinating mystery in history—the Atlantis myth.

All's Right on the "First Night"

By JOHN STILTON

LONDON—Alan Melville, one of the best known revue writers, recently had a new revue produced in London. Just before it opened he spoke in the B.B.C.'s Service of the thrill he felt at a recent first night, when the house resounded to the cry of "Author!" Author!" and said: "As we left the theatre, someone said to me, 'What a wonderful life you fellows have! All you do is to write a show and then sit back and wait for the applause and the shekels roll in.' Just to make this misapprehension is shared by anyone listening," said Melville, "I'd like to explain exactly what happens before the curtain goes up on a first night.

THE EASIEST PART

"The actual writing of a show is by far the easiest part. All you need is a pencil, paper and an indiarubber. Ideas are also an advantage, but lots of authors get along fine without them. Having written the wretched piece, the next move is to find a sucker who will put the thing on. The technical phrase is actually 'theatrical management.' This part of the proceedings is less easy. However, let us assume the impossible: that the management has read the script (or, in case where the management cannot read, has had it read to him) likes it, and wants to buy it. It transpires that the management has a friend—who, it seems is ideally suited for the leading role. The miserable author meets the friend, who is invariably blonde, dumb, and what the Americans call a floozie. The fact that the leading role calls for a first-class, middle-aged, raven-haired actress worries the author, but not the management—indeed, the management goes so far as to suggest certain alterations which could be made to the leading role to make it more worthy of his friend's talents. Having been cunningly filled with rich food and rare wines, the foolish author agrees to everything, signs a contract and goes home to rewrite the thing.

STRANGE CHARACTERS

"From this point on a great number of strange characters take charge. Most of all the producer appears. Producers are of two sorts, both awful. There are the serious and intense shaps and the other type, less intense and more practical who leading lady pronounces her clothes hideous, and loosens a further flood of tears from the designer. The backers look in, sigh, and go on muttering something about good money going down the drain. The dress rehearsal is a nightmare. Only three dresses have been delivered, and these are held together with an incredible number of pins. Everything that is possible to go wrong goes wrong. The lights fuse. The scenery collapses. The actors fry up. The dress rehearsal starts at six and ends at four in the morning. If next night, out of the tumultuous applause there comes that insistent cry of 'Author! Author!' what a fortunate fellow that is who steps on to the stage, bows unsteadily, and makes the carefully rehearsed impromptu speech. All he had to do, lucky chap, was to stand in the footlights and bark and wait for the applause and shekels to roll in."

to start rehearsals. Jokes that were hysterically funny at their birth seem much less funny at a first rehearsal. By the twentieth they have become a source of considerable embarrassment. The leading man is fitting and rarely turns up; the leading lady pronounces her clothes hideous, and loosens a further flood of tears from the designer. The backers look in, sigh, and go on muttering something about good money going down the drain. The dress rehearsal is a nightmare. Only three dresses have been delivered, and these are held together with an incredible number of pins. Everything that is possible to go wrong goes wrong. The lights fuse. The scenery collapses. The actors fry up. The dress rehearsal starts at six and ends at four in the morning. If next night, out of the tumultuous applause there comes that insistent cry of 'Author! Author!' what a fortunate fellow that is who steps on to the stage, bows unsteadily, and makes the carefully rehearsed impromptu speech. All he had to do, lucky chap, was to stand in the footlights and bark and wait for the applause and shekels to roll in."

Aching Molars Old Fashioned

SEATTLE (UP). — Toothaches are old fashioned. That is the opinion of Dr. John C. Brauer, of the University of Washington school of dentistry, a leading authority on children's dentistry.

Dr. Brauer said older folks can't always be spared from aching molars because of past habits, but few children would experience dental pain during their lives if they practiced preventive measures now known to dental science.

"The determining factors are what the child eats and how his teeth are cared for," Dr Brauer said. "Heredity has little to do with dental decay."

He lists five major points in the protection of children's teeth:

1—A child should visit the dentist before he is three years old. The average youngster already has dental decay by his third birthday.

2—Adequate nutritional diet, including proper amounts of milk, eggs, meat, fruits and cereals.

3—A minimum of concentrated sweets such as candy, gum, pop, rich pastries, jams and jellies.

4—Regular and careful cleansing and brushing of teeth.

5—Topical application of sodium fluoride, a new treatment now recommended by the United States Public Health Service and the American Dental Association.

"Flower Pot" Hats Latest Creation of Paris Milliners

By SALLY SWING

PARIS (U.P.).—Some Paris hats this season look just like flower pots. They are meant to.

I have made a tour of a few of Paris leading millinery designers and have uncovered three alarming trends: the flower pot, the lamp shade and the poke bonnet.

Up at Paulette's swank hat maison what did I discover? A brick red "wonder" that looked for all the world like a common garden flower pot, brick red with a bow in the top.

I asked Paulette herself about it. She popped into answer "creating mores!" In back and brought out a flower pot covered in canvas.

CLOCKS ALSO POPULAR

"Of course I change the base of the flower pot and add a few grey feathers for contrast," she said. "If you have a big head, that is."

Paulette and her flower pot are the dual launchers of the most popular hat style here now, the cloche. Although she makes the real flower pot hat in brick red, she changes the crown and material and color on others, still keeping the same line to create a cloche that hugs the head and sticks up in back with a slightly pointed crown.

Another important shape this Winter is the revolutionary lamp shade. Like the flower pot, it has two tiers, but is worn tipped toward the front and slightly to the right. Simon Cange, one of Paris' outstanding designers of new shapes, is responsible for the lamp shade.

Her favorite colors this season are pearly grey, off-green tones and beige. Often the lamp shades have a dangling black tassel on the right.

BULK IS KEYNOTE

Bulk is a keynote in the lamp shade hats. The crowns are large, and often six inches high. They are set into a wide band which gives the wearer a definite 1930 look, as the hats are worn well down on the forehead.

The third shape of 1949 is the half-turned up brim. Sometimes it is turned fast, for example, is really two fat sausages sewn together sideways, which are worn on top of the head. They're rounded to fit the crown, of course, and although off the thing looks ridiculous, on it's cute.

Rita has developed the idea also along more bonnet lines, that is to say an old fashioned gardening bonnet like the pioneer women's, only the bottom popped off to give a tiny round crown in the back and a small curved roof jutting over the forehead.

The little bonnets are often in vivid jungle tones, brilliant reds and greens to be worn with black this Winter.

Tenth Anniversary of Munich - - -

By HANS B. GISEVIUS

Plot to Overthrow Hitler and Halt March Toward War Spiked by "Peace in Our Time" Appeasement

The writer was the son of a high official in the pre-Nazi German judiciary and on entering the civil service of his country in 1933 became an unwilling minor executive in the secret police, and later in the Ministry of the Interior. His flight from within against the Hitler totalitarianism made him a key figure of the German resistance and brought him into close contact with such anti-Nazi leaders as General Hans Oster of the Abwehr (or counter-intelligence) and Arthur Nebe, one-time head of the German Criminal Police. Thus it was that Hans Gisevius was a direct conspirator—and one of the few survivors—of both major attempts to overthrow Hitler. The one that was foiled by Munich in 1938, the other the July 20, 1944, bomb plot. During the war, Gisevius as a member of Germany's counter-intelligence was sent to Switzerland, where he came in contact with the American O.S.S. chief there, Allen W. Dulles. He returned to Germany for the 1944 assassination attempt against Hitler and when that failed he went into hiding for six months in Berlin, where he was rescued with false papers by O.S.S. operatives. He returned to Switzerland to complete the book "To the Bitter End," recently published here, originally drafted in 1945 for the American Interrogation Service. A major witness at the Nuremberg trials, 1945 for the American Interrogation Service. A major witness at the Nuremberg trials, where he was on the stand for three days, Gisevius was qualified by the American prosecutor, Justice Jackson, as one of the key forces for democracy in Germany. Gisevius has now been living in the United States for three months and late in the following article, on its tenth anniversary, the details of the plot that could have averted World War II, the plot to overthrow Hitler which failed by the Allied policy of appeasement at Munich

NEW YORK. — Ten years ago there was reached a fateful decision. That the world would once again be plunged into war. For World War II was made at Munich, not the year before. But the Anglo-French appeasement, symbolised by Neville Chamberlain's now guilty-sounding "Peace in Our Time," did not only insure war by giving Hitler what amounted to the go-ahead signal for more peaceful conquest. Worse, it nipped in the bud a careful plan to overthrow the Hitlerian regime.

As one of the few survivors of this try and also the bomb attempt against Hitler's life of July 20, 1944, I want to tell the little known story of the plot that Munich killed.

For with Munich, the dictator showed the German people once more that he was "right" and not his pessimistic generals and statesmen. Twice in the same year, in spite of all the warnings of the Prime Minister, Hitler had brought millions of people "home to the Reich" without spilling blood. That would not fall to impress the masses who had demonstrated against war.

WEST POWERS DOUBLE

A successful coup had to have the masses behind it. Yet all through the crisis that led to Munich, Joseph Goebbels's propaganda machine had hammered away at the theme that Hitler was only "bluff." And Munich seemed to prove this right. Thus everything that happened after Munich took place with absolute inevitability. Mutilated Czecho-Slovakia lay unprotected, ready for the picking. Hitler would have had to be a great statesman, rather than the mad revolutionary he was, to keep from taking this booty. And when he did take it, the Western powers put up with it, put up with this breach of the Munich pact for which they had paid so dearly. When Hitler occupied Prague in March, 1939, they did not even reply by breaking diplomatic relations with Germany. They made a few doubtful protests and that was all; it seemed clear that they had no intention of fighting about the Eastern borders.

This "appeasement" removed Hitler's last doubts. He felt sure that his "intuition" was leading him aright. Master of auto-suggestion that he was, Hitler was fooled by his own propaganda. It was all a matter of "bluff," he thought. Today we know that even when the British and French warned later of an immediate declaration of war, he could not believe it. The "stalwyrnart," the man who had been praised for his "nonambulistic surefeeling" was stunned in 1939. His first reaction to the news of the declaration of war was not a passionate or scornful flash of fury, but the piteous question: "What will we do now?"

THE PRICE OF MUNICH

Munich was a "power" victory, at an exceptional political price—Psychologically it paralyzed the opposition within Germany. And at the time of the Munich crisis there existed the first—and perhaps also the last—big chance to overthrow the Hitler Government by a strong and well-planned military putsch.

When Allied troops occupied Germany in the spring of 1945, thousands of documents were found proving among other things the surprising fact that German opposition to the Nazi regime was far both widespread and militant.

I have often been asked why we had not made our strength known much earlier. Had we done so, would not important decisions on the part of Western statesmen have been made differently?

In the first place, the supreme law of all oppositions under a reign of terror must be: "Keep Your Mouth Shut!" Not only that, but oppositionists must have the courage and the self-discipline to camouflage their conspiratorial activities by a sham of conformity. No terrorist government ever has been overthrown by intimates of concentration camps.

In the second place, the German opposition did not step his mouth shut entirely. By dozens of confidential channels, the statesmen of the West were kept constantly informed of what was going on. This was particularly true at the time of Munich.

"ORDER AND DECENCY"

On February 4, 1938, Hitler pulled off his second "solid" coup d'etat. He did not set fire to the Reichstag this time, but the story he told his stunned ministers and generals was perhaps more personally mendacious than the Reichstag affair. Once again something mysterious took place, and once again our highly moral Fuehrer intervened with a stern hand to restore order and decency. And once again "whatever" played into his hands. He found a degenerate who would make his incredible story a little more credible. The clubs of the Berlinskaya Pravda had been a half-insane Dutch Communist; the "lobbe" this time was a degenerate falsely accused of murdering a minister in chief of the army, Col.-Gen. Werner von Fritsch, of sexual perversion, (simultaneously — and also by "chance"—another startling revelation was being made about the Minister of War, Field Marshal Werner von Blomberg. It seemed he had married a prostitute.

So on February 4, Hitler himself took full command of the armed forces; he dismissed more than a dozen troublesome generals and installed his subservient creature, Gen. Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel, as de facto commander of the Wehrmacht. During the next few months, the Wehrmacht was thoroughly "cleaned-out." The chief of the general staff, Col.-Gen. Ludwig Beck, who was probably the finest officer in the German Army, resigned—but not to sulk.

From then on, Beck became the recognised head of the German resistance movement. He had important friends among the generals who remained in the army. One of them was general, later field marshal, Erwin von Witzleben. After the failure of the revolt of July 20, 1944, Von Witzleben had to pay for his courage on the gallows. But in 1938, Witzleben held the key to any revolt—as commander of the Berlin Military District.

It has often been asked why the German generals did not "act." Not every high-ranking general commanded troops adapted for "action." Many high officers in the War Ministry (and this is true of every army staff) had in this sense less power than a company captain. And it was not only a matter of executive power. The troops had to be in the right place. And they must be loyal to their immediate commander.

Witzleben was a man willing to go the limit. He was in the right place. His fellow officers trusted him. He could carry along hesitant generals in his provinces.

For a long time it was assumed abroad that the Prussian generals were the real warmongers, urging Hitler as their tool. The documents that were found and the verdicts rendered by the Nuremburg judges proved that this assumption was not correct. The general "guilt"—and I believe they were very guilty indeed—lay not in warmongering, but in their having themselves drift into supporting the dictator's criminal activities against their convictions. A tremendous amount of trust was reposed in them. Not only the soldiers, but the whole nation believed that at the crucial moment they would show how to say no. Instead, they pleaded their duty to obey military orders. And today they all whimper that they were always "against it."

THE PLAN FOR REVOLT

In the Summer of 1938 the best generals in the German Army thought the idea of war so insane that they could not believe the canny Fuehrer would do anything so crazy. This was Beck's and Witzleben's aim in entering wedge. Even Beck's successor, Gen. Franz Halder—a man not nearly so hard and brilliant as the blunt and straight-forward Witzleben — went along with their plan for revolt in 1938. In preparation he had the best Panzer divisions in Thuringia massed to protect Berlin against a possible counter-attack by S.S. units stationed in Munich.

The generals felt completely sure of themselves. It they could prove conclusively that Hitler meant war — and such proof would come when the Fuehrer issued marching orders — they would have not only the soldiers, but the whole nation behind them.

As the sole survivor who was at the headquarters of the conspiracy both in those September days of 1938 and during July, of 1944, I can testify that this 1938 plot was the most earnest and most promising in the long series of unsuccessful efforts to overthrow the Nazis.

For weeks our plans had been ready. Every building to be occupied was marked on the maps. The telegrams for the provincial governors were already drawn up. In Witzleben's safe. The first proclamations and the initial measures were worked out to the last detail. Apparently, for success we needed only to keep our nerve and keep our mouths shut. And for Hitler to move himself on the path to war.

We needed strong nerves. For the strain was almost unbearable. Twice, at the point of highest tension, we heard over the radio—that British Premier Neville Chamberlain was coming to Berchtesgaden. We did not believe our ears when we learned that he was coming again—to Godesberg this time. We breathed a sigh of relief when, after a dramatic interlude, we were informed that he was returning empty handed to London.

The tension was worst of all when Jan Masaryk, the Czechoslovak Minister in London, chose to transmit his secret information to Prague over a telephone line that had through carelessness been left open, at this critical moment of all times, the Poles stabbed the Czechs in the back by an ultimatum for territorial demands on Czecho-Slovakia.

AN ANGRY POPULATION

But then there were some favorable elements in the situation. During a propaganda march through Berlin by Witzleben's troops—Hitler had ordered this—the populace shook clenched fists at the soldiers. The Berliners showed such hostility toward the military that Hitler, watching from behind a curtain in the Reich Chancellery, fumed with rage. He roared at Goebbels: "I can't lead a war with such a people!" And the propaganda chief muttered: "No, my Fuehrer, I saw for myself down there. These people still need intensive enlightment."

On September 28 the climax was reached. Both parties had firmly declared their positions. Hitler had rudely rejected Chamberlain's last attempts at a rapprochement. Within a few hours Hitler would certainly issue his marching orders, long since prepared for September 30. That was to be our eve.

Witzleben hurried to the War Ministry. I was still see him returning soon afterward, his features tense, everything about him expressing firm, glad resoldness.

"Gisevius, it will soon be time," he said. In a choked voice he told me how he had persuaded Halder to co-operate with us.

Halder had even gone to Field Marshal Von Brauchitsch, the then commander in chief of the army, who had seriously considered whether he should notify Hitler that he would no longer obey him. Witzleben had then had a dramatic telephone conversation with Brauchitsch, had more or less openly hinted what would happen if he did that. Brauchitsch had declared that he would go personally to see Hitler; his decision would depend on the outcome of the interview.

WAITED IN VAIN

But we waited for hours and hours, waited in vain. When finally the nervous agony was over, it was "time" it is true—but not to incorporate in some sugar atoms of the most common isotope of phosphorus, P-32. This is one of the cheapest and easiest to produce of all the isotopes. The half life is for but a few days and it is the only one of the radioactive phosphorus which to date has found an established place in clinical medicine.

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The new tagged sugar opens up a wide field for medical experimenters. The "branded" sugar might be considered the basic process of life. It takes place throughout the body. Various serious ailments, such as diabetes, are due to faulty sugar metabolism.

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In experiments with human beings, however, the experimenters have been restricted to sugars tagged with a nonradioactive form of carbon which is heavier than the most abundant form. It is hard to get, extremely expensive, and difficult to isolate at the concentration for an experiment. Relatively little work has been done with it.

The March Of Science

By THOMAS R. HENRY

(Science Editor, North American Newspaper Alliance)

WASHINGTON.—It now is possible to "light" sugar. This latest accomplishment in atomic energy commission laboratories means potentially one of the major advances in the use of radioactive isotopes in the study both of disease and normal biological processes.

The advance was announced before a medical meeting here by Dr. John Z. Bowers of the commission's staff.

ENERGY OF SUNSHINE

Sugar, synthesized by green plants with the energy of sunshine, is the essential fuel of life. It is composed chiefly of the element carbon. Sugar tagged with atoms of radioactive carbon, however, cannot be used in experiments with human beings. Such atoms have "half lives" of approximately 2,000 years. Some of them would be retained in the system through the lifetime of the individual. The potentially effects of gamma-ray isotopes are roughly proportional to their half lives — that is, the time required for any given number of atoms to disintegrate.

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How to Write a Best-Seller

By DAVID CLAYTON

DO you want to write a book that will sell 2,000,000 copies in just over four years, swell your bank balance beyond your wildest dreams, and earn you a niche in the hall of fame? Here is the formula:

Your opening paragraph of your first chapter must run to no longer than one sentence of a quarter lines of print. You make the next paragraph three and a half lines. You follow up with another paragraph three and a half lines. You follow up with another paragraph running four and a half lines. Your next one should be longer, but don't on any account let it dribble over on to a fresh page.

ONE AUTHOR'S ADVICE

This is the advice of Dr. Lloyd C. Douglas, author of "Magnificent Obsession," "The Robe" and now, soon, "Fishers of Men."

Dr. Douglas, who found fame at 52 after years as an obscure preacher, practices this formula and has a millionaire's bank balance to prove that it works.

Rightbrows deride his methods. They use words like "escapist" and "sentimental" about his themes which Dr. Douglas uses to make his books best sellers.

Dr. Douglas, who now lives quietly in his little frame house at Las Vegas, Nevada, usually ignores such attacks. He just points to the tens of thousands of letters from readers extolling the spiritual comfort his books bring.

But, because nearly everybody is more interested in money than in literary appreciation, let us ignore the critics and meditate some other Douglas dicta.

"Many a good book has been killed on the first page.

"Never start a new chapter with conversation."

"Say something new at the top of each page."

"When you introduce a minor character into your story make him 'do' or do something startling or dangerous right away."

"Always start a new page with a paragraph of three or four lines—and without conversation . . .

All this, remember, comes from the most fabulously successful author of the last 30 years.

THE LONG STRUGGLE

For over 30 years Lloyd C. Douglas wrote and wrote. He produced verse, fragments of essays and moral pieces which he sent to editors all over America hoping they would print them. Few did.

He was a little heavy-handed in those days. He described his writings as advocating "personality expansion through self-investment in the philanthropic rehabilitation of other people's lives."

"Magnificent Obsession" started off in this way. Half way through his moralizing he suddenly saw the light, turned his sermons into fables and gave them the above title.

He sent the manuscript to publisher after publisher till at last it was accepted by an obscure firm called Willett, Clark & Colby, who specialised in Sunday school prizes and hymnbooks. That was in the slump year, 1929.

Total first printing, 2,500 copies, sold slowly, but sold; so did a second and a third. Then one of those unaccountable things happened—booksellers began to get orders such as they had never seen before.

By every mail came demands for hundreds of copies of the book. In a year Willett was hard pressed to meet the demand.

30,000 A MONTH

Then the big New York publishers began to make offers. Willetts took the best one and sold all their rights. Through high-pressure publicity the new publishers built up such sales that in just over four years the book reached the two million mark. It has been translated into 27 languages, and still sells 30,000 copies a month.

The publishers clamored for other books from Douglas. He produced "Forgive Us Our Trespasses," "Precious Jeopardy," "Disputed Passage" and "The Robe"—each a smash hit. "The Robe" is still being translated into new languages every month.

At 72 Dr. Douglas still writes 3,000 words a day—half of it a rewrite of the past day's work. Sometimes he will spend a whole morning on a sentence. At other times he finds everything comes smoothly.

He writes his books straight on to a typewriter, using paper cut to the size of an ordinary book page. "The eye is important," he explains. "I can't work well if I don't know how the reader will see it."

Dr. Douglas thinks that "Fishers of Men" will outsell even "Magnificent Obsession" and "The Robe." Once again it has a biblical theme.

And, of course, there will be no conversation at the top of pages.

100 Years of Royal Balmoral

By HELAN CATHCART

Diaries of Court correspondents, and a privileged visit to Queen Victoria's Parish for 30 years, Mrs. Cathcart is Britain's best-informed writer on royal affairs.

WILL Princess Elizabeth have her first baby at Balmoral? Millions of people will be a large number of Scotsmen in North America—hope so. The possibility touches their deepest sentiments, and such a doubly happy event would set a neat hallmark of 100 years tenure on the British Royal Family's association with "hidey-hole" on Deeside.

Just 100 years ago Queen Victoria drove seven miles along the Dee Valley from Aberdeen and first gazed at little Balmoral House set in a bowl of the mountains. The Prince Consort had been recommended by her physician to take a holiday in the Highlands and the Prince Consort rented the house for the month.

"Arrived at a quarter to three," the Queen confided to her diary. "It was so calm and sheltered it did one good as we gazed around and the pure mountain air was most refreshing. All Balmoral seems to breathe freedom and peace and to make one forget the world and its troubles."

PRINCELY PURCHASE

The Prince Consort, too, was so keen that he immediately set out to bag a stag in the woods. One tends to forget that royal Balmoral began with the sedful fun of two young people still in their twenties, just as Elizabeth and Philip are today. Wrote a royal diarist, "They live not merely like gentlefolks, but like small gentlefolks." The Queen enjoyed it so much that she came the following year, traveling by yacht from Woolwich. Then, on the occasion of her fifth visit in 1852, the Prince was able to tell her that he had bought the place for $125,000.

The young couple spent the holiday planning and discussing plans for pulling down the old castle and building a new one. It was finished in 1855—"my dearest Albert's own creation . . . his exact taste, and the impress of his dear hand, have been stamped everywhere."

In their crave for the most antique, they forgot creature comforts—and the Queen could never understand why a fire could not be lighted in a granite bedroom, nearly died of pneumonia. King Edward VII called lovely Balmoral "the house of a thousand draughts," and he declared the cheerless library "the home of the great cold."

There had to be a guard selected from a Scottish regiment, and the soldiers sometimes made unprintable comments on their barracks. It was said the buildings had been designed for a hill station in India. By mistake the designs for Balmoral were sent to Bombay and the designs for India reached Balmoral.

EDWARDIAN CHANGES

When King Edward VII inherited the castle it boasted not a single bathroom. It had a kitchen and pantry monstrously converted into a billiards room and he began turning the place into a hunting lodge. King George VI was affianced for years by the head of a 310-pound stag which Edward brought home when he was 17, and the even more massive effigy of a 300-pound beast shot by King George V.

In Victoria's day Campbell-Bannerman, the politician, found the place "like a cone of ice, and it was impossible to bring it off to his cell." But when he visited Balmoral under Edward VII he found "a charming system and everyone pleasant and smiling."

King George and Queen Mary banished the tartan decorations, even from the Royal china, and introduced cream ceilings to lighten the sombre interiors. Till the present reign, however, food arrived luke-warm in the pinewood dining-room. Queen Elizabeth has now inaugurated a small serving room with modern hot-plates.

THE CASTLE TODAY

Still more bathrooms, fewer servants and greater simplicity mark Balmoral Castle today. George V once remarked, "I like my dinners and my sermons short," and this ended some long-winded marathon preaching at Crathie Parish Kirk.

Visiting Balmoral today it is easy to discover its renewed appeal for the Royal family. From his private suite of rooms on the first floor the King can command sweeping views across the valley of the Dee over a realm he has made peculiarly his own. Up in the morning early, off on the hills or sometimes to a cast for salmon in the Dee or a round on the private golf course. In the evening, tired, the luxury of the private cinema—and early to bed.

Guests are sometimes astonished by the number of memorial cairns in the grounds, scattered with a liberal hand by Queen Victoria. Of sentimental appeal to the Royal Family, however, is the avenue of trees planted by relatives and visiting royalty, including one planted by Princess Elizabeth when she was two, other by the Queen Mother, Princess Margaret, Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh call on cottage folk like the Frasers, the Gillies and Collies. There are shooting days on the Corndavan and Micras moors, motoring trips towards Cordonstoun.

TOURISTS DELIGHT

Nowadays, at week-ends, thousands of curious week-enders and tourists descend on the hidden valley hoping to catch a glimpse of the Royals. Local hotels and souvenir shops take a profit, and, the fact remains, behind their screen of trees and the waters of Dee the Royal Family can truly live private lives of their own.

The Lighter Side

VIVA

There's a story making the rounds in Spain today—between trusted friends. It tells of the poor fisherman who brought home a fine fish. He asked his wife to try it for their meal in olive oil.

"But I have no olive oil," said his wife.

"Then we'll have to try it in butter."

"I have no butter, either."

"Well, fry it in grease!"

"I have no cooking fat at all," the woman admitted sadly.

So the fisherman threw his catch back into the sea—whereupon the fish stood up in the water on its tail and shouted: "Viva Franco!"

(Chs. Stockholm)

OPINION

Sr. Fernando Gonzales, director of the Teatro Nuevado of Madrid, was approached by an author recently. He agreed to hear the new play read, but it was his and Senor Gonzales fell asleep during the reading of the first few scenes. When he woke up he told the author that the piece wasn't good enough to be played.

"How do you know?" asked the playwright indignantly. "You slept all through the reading!"

"Young man," Gonzales replied, "sleep is an opinion.

(Morgen-Post, Madrid)

REDY

Excessive demand by U.S. political campaign speakers may or may not be the cause, but the famous 'leatnad banks which normally swarm with the fish at this time of year, are reported practically denuded of herring.

(Dagens Nyheter, Stockholm)

National Housing

A Series of Questions and Answers on House Financing and Construction

Q.—If I send plans for my new house to Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, could I get an idea of how much it will cost?

A.—No, I am afraid not. Because costs vary so much from city to city—and, indeed, even in the same city—Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation cannot undertake to furnish estimates. The best thing to do is to get a complete list of items entering into the construction of your house and check them against the plans and specifications. A complete set of detailed working drawings, a complete specification, a contract and a reputable contractor are the only known and tried methods of building a house without "extras."

Q.—Because I am a veteran, the township in which I am going to build a new house is selling me a lot for $1. Will Central Mortgage and Housing appraise it at that value?

A.—No. Neither does the township, actually. It is when a house is planned for that vacant land that it takes on a real value. Vacant, it means nothing to the township, but after a house has been erected, taxes start. Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation is very careful in appraising land at a fair and reasonable value.

Q.—At present, I am building a home which I myself intend to occupy. However, my job is rather uncertain, and I might be forced to move to another city at some time in the future. I read in your column recently about rental insurance. Would that cover me?

A.—No, it would not. Under the National Housing Act, rental insurance is meant for builders who are building a project of 6 or more units for rental. If you may move, the only thing you can do is be sure of renting your house is to select carefully the locality in which you are going to build. If you put up a house worth $6,000 in a poor neighborhood where it will be impossible to obtain more than a $35 rental, then — naturally — you are bound to suffer a loss on your investment. If you build in a good neighborhood—with transportation and shopping facilities, near schools, and with pleasant, well-kept homes—then, that is insurance in itself. People are always anxious to rent in a desirable community.

Q.—I own a house and want to make a duplex out of it. Could I obtain a loan under the National Housing Act?

A.—Yes. Home extension loans have been devised to assist house owners to finance additional self-contained dwelling units in existing homes. This does not include improvements or repairs to a home unless those improvements or repairs are necessary to the creation of new housing units. Nor does it take into consideration improvements for farm dwellings (which come under the Farm Improvements Loans Act) or Summer cottages. However, if you are considering adding one or more self-contained units you may apply for a loan. You can borrow up to a maximum of $2,000 for the first family housing unit to be added, and $1,000 for each additional unit. If the principal amount does not exceed $1,000 for each family unit, you repay the loan in monthly instalments for three years at an annual interest rate of 5%. If you have borrowed more than $1,000, you have five years in which to repay the money. No other fee (such as service charge or insurance premium) is charged so long as you are not in default. To apply, you get in touch with any branch of a chartered bank or an approved instalment credit agency. They will supply you with application forms, which you fill out in triplicate. You must present in duplicate plans and specifications of the proposed addition or alterations. These will be forwarded for approval to Central Mortgage and Housing by the bank or instalment credit agency. Naturally, they will also want a detailed estimate or tender covering the cost of the work, and evidence that you own the property and have paid taxes, and mortgage principal and interest up to the last due date. When you have been notified by the bank or agency that the application has been approved, you may start construction. I should also mention here that before the final approval of the loan is given, plans and specifications must be stamped as approved by all appropriate municipal authorities.

Okanagan Fruit Growers Provide Dollar Returns

FOR years the greatest source of outside dollars, agricultural produced for the province came from the Okanagan fruit growers. Prize winning quality of potatoes, varieties found ready acceptance in all parts of the world. With the change in finance and marketing forseen by the farmer, interest promotion in the rich domestic field during the war is now producing results, and British Columbia fruit is quoted all across Canada at firm prices. Under the present system, the grower competes with producers from other provinces, but not with his neighbor.

Inclement weather has reduced tonnage of high quality fruit and up to September 9, carload shipments of fruits and vegetables were down about 35 per cent from the corresponding date last year, 3,200 cars this year, 4,000 cars last year.

Last year, and again this season, the British export market is closed to Canadian fruit. The yield this year is estimated to be about 1,000,000 boxes less than the record of 8,800,000 in 1946 when 2,200,000 boxes were shipped to United Kingdom.

During the past several years particularly, the emphasis has been on "quality fruit," and fertilizer, pruning, thinning and all orchard practice has been aimed in this direction. Production costs are said to have jumped 136 per cent since 1939 and packing and handling charges 96 per cent.

With good quality fruit, an effective and competent grading, packing and sales organization, not overlooking an absence of internecine warfare, the results obtained will be the best possible to the grower and the consumer will be able to buy fruit and vegetables with the least possible waste and loss.

Temperature Is Important When Storing Fresh Fruit

FRUIT is very sensitive to conditions of temperature. Large commercial fruit packing plants, cold storages, and transportation companies are well aware of the exacting temperature requirements of the various fruit products they handle. On the other hand, the retailer and consumer are often not conversant with the correct temperature conditions for various fruits, says D. V. Fisher, pomologist, Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland, B.C.

Years ago, Van't Hoff, a Dutch chemist, established the principle that the speed of chemical reactions doubles for each 18 degrees F. rise in temperature. As the process of ripening in fruit is essentially a chemical reaction, the rate of ripening, within limits, can be said to double for each 18 degrees F. rise in temperature. Thus, fruits such as apples, pears, peaches and cherries, which are stored prior to marketing are held at temperatures of 30 degrees to 32 degrees F. This temperature range results in the slowest rate of ripening and at the same time is just above the point at which freezing of tissue takes place. As this temperature, cherries and peaches may be held a week or two, pears a week or two more, and apples two to eight months. Apples complete their ripening process normally at 32 degrees, but peaches and pears do not ripen normally at low temperatures. In order to develop best quality, these two fruits should be stored at 40 degrees to 50 degrees F.

The consumer who buys peaches should ripen these in a moderately dry place at 40 to 70 degrees F. Pears, if already ripe when purchased, may be held for a few days in the household refrigerator before being consumed. If purchased green, pears should not be placed in the refrigerator, but ripened in a moist warm atmosphere. Apples, when purchased in small quantities, should always be held in the refrigerator until eaten. When purchased in box, bushel or barrel quantities, apples should be kept in a moist atmosphere in the coolest place available until they are ready to be used. Careful handling of food products at proper temperatures serves to ensure the highest possible quality when consumed.

Protect Trees From Rodent Injury

In many sections of the country mice and rabbits cause considerable injury to the bark of young trees, especially fruit trees.

Wrap the trunks of the trees with strips of roofing paper, tied in position. Burlap, wire screens or tar paper may also be used.

When placing the tree protectors, push them down into the soil to keep out the mice which will go under the guard if it is left up off the ground.

A repellent against rabbits and mice is to paint or spray on the trees, shrubbery or vines with sulfurated oil. This is made by heating linseed oil to 300 degrees Fahrenheit, and then setting it out of doors and sifting into it flowers of sulphur, stirring the mixture continually. The proportions are nine parts of oil to one part of sulphur, by weight. Apply when cooled. Most people prefer painting it on the trees.

It is very important that mulching material not be placed around young trees for Winter protection until after the ground has frozen. One main reason is, by that time rodents will have moved elsewhere. If the mulch is spread while the ground is still soft, mice find this an ideal place to burrow under for their Winter quarters, feeding on the plant's roots.

Mice have been known to kill all of four six inches back from the tree's bark. When the mulch is placed close to the tree trunk it affords a hiding place for mice to eat the bark for the mice. Under the protection of a mulch around the tree trunk, they gnaw away girdling the tree trunk at or just below the surface of the ground.

Right Light for Sight

Older people, and those with poor sight, tend to need relatively more light than the young, with normal eyes. Light is measured in foot-candles. One foot-candle represents the amount of light cast on a surface one foot distant from one foot. Light equal to ten foot-candles is considered the minimum for reading, even for a short time. When prolonged or detailed work is being done, much more light is needed.

Watering Trees By Using Tile

Take a look at your trees. If the foliage is thin or not fully developed and if the twig growth is small or short, very likely your trees are not getting enough water and plant food. These are the usual causes of lack of vigor.

The tile method is a very satisfactory way for the home gardener to water and feed trees, especially if the grounds around the house are sloping. From two to seven foot-inch sewer tiles may be installed around each tree as follows.

Use a hole about four feet deep with a post-hole augur which is larger in diameter than the size tile. Put one or two pailfuls of one and one-half-inch gravel or clean crushed stone in the bottom of the hole. Place a four-inch sewer tile, which is about two feet long, in an upright position with the small end resting on the gravel. Have the bell-shaped end just level with the surface of the ground. Fill in around the outside of the tile to within eight inches of the surface. Then use topsoil and finally a narrow strip of sod.

A clay tile cover should be placed in the bell-shaped top of the tile to prevent anyone from stepping into the hole. Fill the tile with water at least three or four times in succession and make one or two thorough applications each week during the dry season. Liquid manure or other plant food can be applied through the tiles once or twice during the growing season.

Plant Shrubs for Permanency

By DEAN HALLIDAY

IN planting shrubs this Fall, remember that they are usually a permanent resident of the garden, therefore, the soil in which they are planted should be thoroughly prepared.

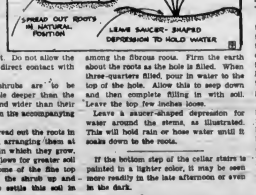
Beds for shrubbery should be dug at least 12 to 18 inches deep. The soil should be made loose and friable. Mix well-rotted manure and decayed leaves with the subsoil. If manure is not available use a couple of handfuls of coarse bonemeal to each plant. Do not allow the manure to come into direct contact with the roots.

When individual shrubs are to be planted, make the hole deeper than the depth of their roots and wider than they spread, as illustrated in the accompanying Garden-Graph.

Place the shrub—spread out the roots in their natural position, arranging them at the different heights in which they grow, as illustrated. This allows for greater soil contact. Throw in some of the fine top soil and gently move the shrub up and down a few times to settle this soil in among the fibrous roots. Firm the earth about the roots as the hole is filled. When three-quarters filled, pour in water to the top of the hole. Allow this to seep down and then complete filling in with soil. Leave the top few inches loose.

Leave a saucer-shaped depression for water around the stems, as illustrated. This will hold rain or hose water until it soaks down to the roots.

If the bottom step of the cellar stairs is painted in a lighter color, it may be seen more readily in the late afternoon or even in the dark.



Use Hormones For Easier Rooting

A root stimulating hormone in powder form is available now for the home gardener who likes to propagate favorite plants from cuttings.

It acts as a "green thumb," for with the dust method it is necessary only to dip the bottom half inch of the cutting in the dry powder, and then set it in the moist sand of a flat or propagating bed.

So far as convenience is concerned, it will be found that the dust method of using a rooting hormone is quite preferable to soaking the cutting in a liquid hormone solution.*

This hormone is useful in forcing roots to form on certain plants which otherwise are very difficult to root. Even very difficult species such as magnolia and Japanese maple can be propagated readily nowadays with the aid of rooting hormones.

This hormone powder also can be used to make seeds germinate more quickly. A pinch of the powder mixed with the seeds does the trick. Bulbs dusted with this same root hormone powder also root more quickly and flower earlier.

Nowadays one can also make use of a transplanting hormone as "Plant Aid" in transplanting hardy plants, roses and shrubs. When it is used the leaves and roots stay plump and full of moisture. Thus, because the plant is not suffering from lack of water—dehydration—it keeps on growing and replaces injured parts quickly.

Garden in Tub Easily Made

A garden pool, no matter how small and inexpensive, has a lure all its own. One can be made with little trouble and complete beauty and charm.

Perhaps the most economical type of garden pool is that made by sinking half a water-tight barrel or tub into the ground.

Any kind of a tub that will hold water will do, although the heavy wooden ones sold for this purpose by nurseries that specialize in water lilies and other aquatic plants are perhaps the best.

The tub should be placed in a sunny spot since water lilies need the warmth from the sun to make them bloom.

Three tub gardens can be arranged in a group if one desires a larger effect at low cost. The space between the tube can be filled with rocks and low growing plants to give a naturalistic effect. In a group arrangement one tub can be planted with water lilies, another with floating plants such as water hyacinths, while in another can be planted with bog plants, among them the marsh marigold with its large, yellow buttercup flowers.

Flowers That Bloom in Snow

SNOWDROPS are the earliest flowers to bloom. In January or February and again in March, they live up to their name by blooming when the snow melts enough for them to be seen.

Snowdrops naturalize readily when planted under three inches of soil. They require no attention and can remain undisturbed for many years. They can be grown under trees or shrubs, but to get a really effect they must be planted thickly. They can be grown in sun or shade.

Leucojums, better known as Snowflakes, also belong to the Snowdrop family. They are very hardy and of somewhat stronger growth than Snowdrops.

There are several varieties of Snowflakes. Vernum is the earliest, blooming in late March. It is called the Spring Snowflake and grows from 6 to 8 inches tall. Next in blooming order is the variety Aestivum, which flowers in late April. It is called the Summer Snowflake. It grows from 14 to 18 inches high and can be used for cutting purposes.

Blooming still late in the Spring is the variety known as Gravetye Giant. It does best when grown in a shady location and should be left alone as much as possible since the flowers become larger when the bulbs are not disturbed.

As the Snowflake is a larger bulb than that of the Snowdrop, it should be planted an inch deeper, or at least four inches under the soil surface

Hints for the Amateur

Begin feeding house plants now, to strengthen them before frost comes, when they must be brought indoors. Transplant into larger pots those that have crowded their quarters.

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Gladiolus are being grown more and more each year for indoor bloom, the primulinus strains being especially popular. They can be potted any time from October to February. Use early ripened or "retarded" bulbs early.

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This month you can set out plants of hellebores, both the Christmas rose types and the early blooming Lenten lilies. Plant them in a protected dampish corner with ample shade

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Lawn grass seed sown now has the best chance of succeeding of any time of the year owing to favorable weather, soil and other growth conditions.

Dish for the Day

By THE CHEF

APPLE PANDOWDY

Hearing a recording of an old popular song reminded me to give you a recipe for "Apple Pandowdy."

Peel and core about six tart apples, cut them in eighths and put them in the bottom of a baking dish. Mix up one-half teaspoon of cinnamon with one-half cup of sugar—brown is wonderful if you have it—and sprinkle this over the apples. Dribble about one-half tablespoon of butter in little pieces all over the top. Then pour over all a cup of boiling water.

Cover the mixture with biscuit dough, prick with a fork and bake in a hot oven for around 25 minutes. Serve from the baking dish, with maple hard sauce made by breaking a cupful of maple sugar into one-half cup of cream, adding one-half teaspoon vanilla and two tablespoons of butter and letting all simmer for a few minutes. Chill thoroughly before serving with the hot pandowdy.

Two-Level Cottage Design

Photo and Plan by "Home Building in Canada"

PLAN NO. 121

Taking advantage of a lot which sweeps down towards the rear, this house, although appearing to be a one-storey cottage, has two well-developed levels. Principal windows in both instances look to the rear to take in the fine vista. On the basement level there is a garage, food storage room, cedar closet, washroom with shower stall, furnace room and a huge bright recreation room with built-in bar and an electric fireplace. Upstairs we find a splendid kitchen, with breakfast nook overlooking the front garden, a dining-room with recess in a sun deck off the rear, a living-room of excellent proportions, and three bedrooms with a convenient bathroom. It will be noted the sleeping area of the house is well separated from the living area, yet the bathroom is easily accessible to both. There is an abundance of both windows and closet space in this design.

For Bathrooms of Today Choose Right Fixtures

THERE was a time not so long ago when plumbing was taken for granted. The builder gave it only the most casual attention. "Put in a bathroom," he told the plumbing contractor, and that was that.

This, of course, was "way back when" the bathroom was just a utility room and before artist designers took the tub, lavatory, sink, closet and faucets in hand and gave them smart styling, color and eye appeal.

Today it's different. Fixtures are carefully chosen and everyone knows that the ratio of bathrooms to bedrooms has been stepped up in recent years. The bathrooms may, of course, be set back to back, effecting a substantial saving in supply and waste piping as well as labor.

The choice of the fixtures for the bathrooms and powder rooms is all important.

Here are a few points to be kept in mind in selecting plumbing fixtures:

1. Choose fixtures that are simple and distinctive. A few dollars more will give you a fixture that will be far superior in appearance.

2. Select well-known branded fixtures in matched sets, that is, fixtures that harmonize in design as well as color.

3. Devote particular attention to the selection of the lavatory. It stands be the most beautiful fixture in the bathroom. Choose one of generous size. Keep in mind the fact that the lavatory will be used as a make-up table. See that it has generous space for bottles and toilet articles.

4. Go in for tubular lighting on each side of the medicine cabinet.

5. By all means have a good shower.

COLOR TREATMENT

Color treatment in the powder room is especially different from that for the bathroom. The bathroom, as a larger room, should be treated with more restraint than the powder room. It is a generally accepted rule among interior decorators that smaller rooms will "stand" stronger contrasts in colors. Hence, such combinations as black fixtures with the walls in yellow, tan or peach; blue fixtures with mottled blue or silver walls; red fixtures with ivory walls may be used in the powder room with stunning effect.

In the bathroom, on the other hand, the preference is for fixtures in the pastel shades — soft ivories and yellows, cool greens, tasteful blues and pinks. Such combinations as ivory fixtures with peach or apricot walls or tan fixtures with ivory walls are in good taste. Ivory in particular, is an extremely versatile color. Its prominence in interior decoration today is because of its adaptability and conservatism. It can be used successfully under various lighting conditions and in innumerable combinations with other colors.

The fundamental rule in the creation of a bathroom color scheme is to start with the fixtures. The color of the fixture is the basic or tonic color for the room. Colors for the walls and floor, woorwork, shower curtains, drapes and accessories should be selected with harmony or contrast to the fixtures in mind.

The Inside Story

By ANN PRINGLE

Why Not Be Colorful?

BY some miracle, performed perhaps with assistance from the Office of Regional Rent Control, your apartment is going to be painted. After several hour dreaming of all the lovely colors you might use for each room you're confused and a little scared, and you figure maybe the best thing after all is to have the living room painted light green, or maybe beige, leave the bedroom blue and make the bathroom white. Just as before.

It's like figuring out where to go on your Summer vacation. You peruse the travel folders and step in your imagination, to a thousand different mountain and seashore resorts, only to end up writing to the hotel you stopped at last year.

You can't strike out on the royal road to adventure all at once if you've passed most of your life on the direct route from bed to chore. But the best place to start fresh, decoratively speaking, is the bathroom. Nobody spends much consecutive time there, except maybe people who read in the bathtub, the absorbed kind of people that probably don't notice walls anyway. And if you make a mistake the room is usually small enough so that you can repaint it yourself.

The main thing, after you've decided to have a better green or a deep purple bathroom, is to stick to your choice. When the painter says, "I'll do it, lady, but it won't look right," just smile sweetly at him and tell yourself you know best.

And the surprising thing is, you usually do. A friend of mine painted her bathroom black, hung yellow and grey striped cotton over the window-wall, backed a full-length mirror over the part where the window was hidden and painted the ceiling yellow. She says she knew all the time that it would look all right, even if nobody else did. Now she has ideas for an egg-plant-colored living-room.

Maybe if you experiment on the bathroom you'll have a little more confidence in your imagination when next painting time rolls around.

Tablets Fatten Table Birds

LONDON (CP)—British veterinary surgeons are seeking to increase food production by giving tablets to animals to speed their growth. Preliminary results show that poultry are ready for the table four to six weeks earlier than otherwise. Feedstuffs are also saved.

The tablets are put under the skin of the bird. They affect glands which concentrate food consumption on producing flesh.

Stilboestrol, a chemical of the synthetic hormones group, is contained in the tablets.

Old Homes and Families

By J. K. NESBITT

—B.C. Archives Photo

Governor Kennedy

—B.C. Archives Photo

Mrs. Kennedy

—B.C. Archives Photo

Elizabeth Kennedy

—B.C. Archives Photo

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cary

—B.C. Archives Photo from a Watercolor by Miss Josephine Crease.

—B.C. Archives Photo from a Watercolor by Miss Susan Crease

Two Views of Cary Castle

IT must have been dark in Belcher Street the night of October 27, 1865.

There were practically no street lamps out of the town and there weren't many carriages. There had never been a ball quite like this — a ball at Government House, the first in the Colony. The invitations were in gold lettering and they bore a viceregal crest.

The ladies of the colony had spent days on their wardrobes. There were not many opportunities in the Victoria of the sixties for wear formal attire, but on this occasion it simply had to be done. His Excellency the Governor, in the name of the Queen, had sent the invitations, amounting almost to Royal Commands.

We do not know how most of the guests reached the castle on the top of what is now Rockland Hill, but it is doubtless many of them walked, for there couldn't have been enough carriages to look after them all. Arthur Edward Kennedy was the host, and he and his wife and their two daughters received in the great hall, by the fireplace, below the grand stairway. But perhaps this is getting ahead of the story.

ARRIVAL FROM ENGLAND

Kennedy and his family came to Victoria from England, March 24, 1864, in the vessel Brother Jonathan. The Colonist, reporting the event, said the booming of cannon announced the ship's arrival and "immediately every vehicle in the city and every equine quadruped capable of locomotion was put in requisition and hurried down to Esquimalt with the greatest possible expedition."

At Esquimalt the party transferred to H.M.S. Grapnier and came around to Victoria harbor, being greeted at the Dickson, Campbell wharf by Mayor Thomas Harris, Victoria's first chief magistrate. The Colonist said: "The procession went along Store, Wharf, Yates, Government, Fort and Broad Streets to the St. George Hotel, where His Excellency alighted and presented himself on the balcony—and again addressed the multitude — thanking them for the reception."

The night was one of celebration. The whole populace turned out to catch a glimpse of the new governor, who had succeeded Sir James Douglas. There was singing in the streets and bonfires in spare lots and the Germania Sing Verein serenaded the governor and his ladies. The chorus was accompanied by torch bearers carrying colored lights and they gathered beneath the hotel balcony, and the governor came out and thanked them and said that on Vancouver Island all nationalities would be treated exactly alike, and the German population would have the same rights and privileges, the same equality possessed by Her Majesty's subjects around the globe.

MAN WITHOUT HOME

There was no official residence for the governor. Douglas had lived in his private residence in James Bay. Kennedy was irate because he had no place to go and he promptly got into argument with the Legislative Assembly, which refused to provide him with a home. So, on his own, he rented the residence of Joseph Trutch, "Fairfield," and moved his family in. He complained bitterly in an open letter that he didn't even have a secretary and that if he should write a letter to the mayor he would have to deliver it himself. Mayor Harris, supported by W. J. McDonald, George Cruickshank and A. D. Bell were quite as indignant about all this as the governor. They wrote to The Colonist: "We have witnessed with extreme regret the course adopted by the House of Assembly in not entertaining the question of a residence for the representative of Her Majesty."

The governor himself, furious at the Assembly, kept the storm going. Naughtily, he wrote to the mayor on May 30, of 1864: "It is not my intention to hold the customary levee on that day (the Queen's birthday), for which purpose the public offices are inconvenient and unsuitable. I regret also that it is impossible for me to receive even the heads of departments in the small residence I at present occupy, much less the larger numbers that would wish to receive upon such an occasion. I would, therefore, suggest a public ball upon a scale that would enable a certain number of the citizens at least to join in the celebration of Her Majesty's birthday."

BUYS CARY CASTLE

Kennedy lived in the Trutch home for about a year, keeping up his campaign for an official residence. At the time a mansion on a rocky hill, not too far away, was vacant. It had been built by George Rumsey Cary, one-time attorney-general of Vancouver Island, and was then owned by Mrs. Elizabeth Miles. Kennedy had his eye on this place for Government House. He was determined to get it, in any way. The House of Assembly again refused to provide the money. So Kennedy entered into private negotiations with Mrs. Miles, and April 26, 1865, The Colonist announced: "His Excellency has concluded the purchase of Castle Cary and proposes for $19,000. It is presumed that His Excellency has bought the property as a personal investment till the Government House contemplated by the Legislative Assembly is erected, which cannot be done in less than from 12 to 18 months."

Kennedy may have put out his own money to pay for the castle, for he was evidently a man of considerable wealth, but the Government must have finally purchased it from him, for the place continued as Government House after he went away. Repairs were necessary before he could occupy it, and he wanted a ballroom. Again he argued with the legislators, who grudgingly let him have $21,000.

THE FIRST BALL

So it was that in October, of 1865, all being calm at the moment, the Kennedys were ready to give that first ball that created such a stir. The Colonist reported: "The ballroom, having a handsomely ornamented ceiling from which were suspended three splendid chandeliers that diffused a brilliant light over the scene. An excellent quadrille band, composed of Messrs. Digby Palmer, Sandrie, Wilson, Haynes, Bushell and Foreman, occupied a tastefully decorated platform. Dancing was entered into, though with somewhat damping effect, from the large numbers who participated, to female attire. Shortly before 1 a.m. the company adjourned to the supper rooms. Sometime elapsed before the whole of the guests could partake of the good things awaiting them, and in the interval the ballroom was filled up with extra dances, which, owing to the difficulties of navigation being considerably lessened and hard thumps and polite apologies consequently less frequent, were probably most enjoyable of all."

The Kennedys were hospitable in the extreme, and democratic, too, for they welcomed everyone to Government House. While the governor was in much discord with the Legislature about finances, he was popular with the people. His wife was a gracious woman, and his daughters, Elizabeth and Georgina, were vivacious young ladies, who could look bewitching behind their jewel encrusted fans; they were musical, and it is said they were full of fun and loved to dance the night through. So Cary Castle, in the days of the Kennedy regime, was indeed a gay place. The Queen's birthday of 1866 saw another grand ball, The Colonist noting: "Aware of our total inability to discharge a task so difficult to the uninitiated, we dare not venture upon such delicate ground as to attempt a description of the many really handsome dresses that graced the room. It was a subject of remark that on no previous occasion had the ladies of Victoria been more elegantly attired and looked to greater advantage. The rooms were somewhat too densely thronged to render dancing an easy pastime."

While the orchestra took supper, Miss Kennedy went to the piano. At 8 a.m. the ball was over. The paper said: "The Misses Kennedy sang the first verse of the National Anthem as a duet in the sweetest manner. The second verse was well given by Mayor Franklin, who was followed by Miss Banks (a guest at Government House from California), the audience being completely electrified by the magnificent and highly cultivated voice possessed by this gifted young lady. Although a foreigner, Miss Banks did homage to our Queen with a degree of fervor which, heightened by the thrilling strains of her powerful voice, quite entranced her hearers."

THE LAST GOVERNOR

Governor and Mrs. Kennedy and their daughters were only here little more than two years. Kennedy goes down in our history as the third and last governor of the Crown Colony of Vancouver Island, Blanchard and Douglas having been the other two. In 1866 the colonies of Vancouver Island and British Columbia were merged as British Columbia, under Governor Seymour. The capital was in New Westminster until 1868, when it was moved to Victoria. Kennedy and his family went home to England in 1866. The Colonist of October 23 that year reporting their departure: "The wharf was densely crowded —the Rifle Corps presented arms, the band playing the National Anthem. The leave-taking was very affecting; the ladies were moved to tears and the eyes of many of the sterner sex were suffused at the recollection of the many agreeable hours they had passed in the society of those to whom they were about to bid farewell. The family having made their way through the dense mass of people to the steamship, ascended the hurricane deck, when they were complimented with deafening cheers from on shore and a salute from H.M.S. Malacca — at the word of command the men on the yards of the noble war vessel came crowding down like bees out of a hive to the lower rigging, where three genuine British cheers were given for the governor and ladies, amid the waving of hats and handkerchiefs."

WEDDING IN ENGLAND

But before she left Victoria Elizabeth had found romance. Captain of H.M.S. Tribune on this station was Richard James Meade, Lord Gilford. He was a son of the Earl of Clanwilliam and often he went to Government House to dine by candlelight, and to dance in the ballroom and play tennis, and sometimes hold hands under the apple trees in the orchard. Elizabeth apparently couldn't quite make up her mind here, but when she returned to England she did. In England these two met again, upon the Kennedy's arrival in London, and a few months later the wedding took place. So interested were the people of this colony in that wedding that The Colonist had someone in London send a special cable, an almost unheard of newspaper occurrence for those days. It was reported the wedding was in St. George's Church in Hanover Square, and "the bride wore a dress of rich white satin trimmed with Brussels lace and for a headdress a wreath of orange blossoms and veil of old Brussels point lace. The ornaments comprised brooch, necklace and earrings of pearls, the gift of the Earl of Clanwilliam."

The reception was at the Kennedy home in George Street, and there were 200 guests. The Colonist running a list of all the titled people present and noting that after the reception "the noble lord and his bride left town for Wilston House, the Earl of Pembroke's seat in Wiltshire."

After a year's leave in England, Kennedy was sent as governor to the British West African settlements and then was appointed Governor of Hongkong. He was knighted by his beloved Queen in 1868. From Hongkong he went to Queensland as governor, and in 1883 while returning to England from Australia he died aboard ship off Aden.

Lady Kennedy died in 1874. The Colonist of November 17 that year reporting: "English papers announce the death at Ryde, Isle of Wight, of Lady Kennedy, wife of Sir Arthur Kennedy, governor of Hongkong and former governor of Vancouver Island. The demise of Her Ladyship will be regretted by all who knew her in this province. The hospitalities of Government House when under Lady Kennedy's reign were dispensed with no sparing hand, and all who called were welcomed with true British warmth and generosity."

HOME OF GOVERNORS

Cary Castle was home to three colonial governors before British Columbia joined Confederation — Kennedy, Seymour and Musgrave. Governor Musgrave gave a Queen's birthday ball in 1870. As a matter of fact, he nearly didn't give it in any event, the ball became the talk of the town because of what happened immediately before it. The Colonist telling the story next day: "Alarming incident at Government House, about 8 o'clock, while the servants were in the act of lighting up the ballroom, one of the chandeliers containing six coal oil lamps fell with a crash to the floor. Several of the lamps were broken, and the oil, igniting, blazed up to a great height, filling the room with smoke and flame and causing grave apprehension for the safety of Government House. By the prompt and judicious application of blankets the fire was smothered, but not before a portion of the ballroom floor had been charred and the walls blackened. Had the accident occurred two hours subsequently, when the room was filled with ladies in light attire, the effect would have been most serious."

The lovely old castle, with its rich brocades and red plush and coal oil chandeliers, was to end its day in flames. In 1889 fire licked into it until there was nothing left but ugly black wood and a pile of singed brick. Lieut.-Governor T. R. McInnes was living there at the time and his and his family just barely got out themselves. They lost most of their belongings. As well as three Colonial governors—the castle housed six Canadian Lieut.-Governors: Trutch, Richards, Cornwall, Nelson, Dewdney and McInnes.

Two years after Cary Castle was destroyed, the present Government House was built on the same site.

Funland

By A. W. NUGENT

Sheila and the Sausage

A Short Story

By MARIAN PHILLIPS JOHNSON

"DO you suppose," inquired Molly Bell breathlessly, grey eyes round, "that something sort of momentious—might happen to us on this vacation?"

Inette Hayden, blonde, lovely and dreadfully superior, laughed mockingly. "Nothing momentious ever happens. You've been reading again," she accused plump little Molly.

"Well, suppose I have," defended Molly. "Exciting things do happen on vacations. Don't they, Sheila?"

"Something exciting had better happen!" agreed Sheila Wright, with a stubborn gleam in her beautiful brown eyes and an emphatic tone of coppery curls. "We're staking our entire savings on it."

Jim Sykes, the local chauffeur, brought a ramshackle car to a slithering halt. "Well, here we are Holiday Lodge on Lake Silver," he called cheerfully, jumping out and beginning to unload luggage. "This here is John Martyn, your cousin's caretaker. And Mrs. Martyn," he added as a little old cousin hurried on the scene of the lodge. "I'm taking them back on the next train," he explained, addressing all three girls, and certain just which might be Robert Wright's cousin.

"Welcome to Holiday Lodge!" exclaimed John Martyn, apple-cheeked and ironey of hair, wheezing excitedly.

"Welcome," fluttered Mary Martyn, setting her bonnet straight on her motherly head. "My land, John, don't forget the lunch box and the umbrella. And do hurry. We've like to miss the train!"

Sheila and Molly and Inette stood staring. The expensive rustic simplicity of Holiday Lodge was a bit overwhelming, suddenly a splendid great Dane came bounding to meet them.

"Oh!" cried Sheila, "Sheila must be Chief! Cousin Robert wrote me about him."

"My land, yes," said John Martyn, struggling with the lunch box and the umbrella and two battered suitcases. "I want to tell you about Chief, now—"

"You'll have to step brisk," interposed Jim Sykes importantly. "That train won't wait."

The girls watched the old caretaker and his wife go bustling away.

As they entered the long living-room the girls gasped rapturously at the high beamed ceiling, the polished floor with its scattered hooked rugs, the great stone fireplace at the far end, the sturdy maple furniture and the many long windows hung cheerfully with chintz.

The following morning Sheila, in trim brown overalls and a flattering pongee blouse, was digging happily in Cousin Robert's garden. The sun was warm, the September breeze cool. Sheila breathed deep, long breaths of sheer joy.

Suddenly two muffled "woofs" attracted her attention. Glancing sharply about, Sheila emitted a horrified gasp and scrambled hastily to her feet. Chief was digging boldly in a neighboring flower garden! She dashed for his leash and scaled the interfering log fence in a flying leap — and landed ignominiously on her hands and knees in a flower bed.

"Bay, you!" called an irate masculine voice. "Get out of my gladiolus bed! What do you think—"

Sheila rose with dignity to her feet. "It isn't try to restrain your temper for a moment," she suggested lofty. "I shall certainly get it. I only came to take my dog out of your garden!"

The disturbing young man in the grey sweater stopped waving his pipe at her and jammed it savagely between his teeth to look two rapid puffs at the pipe and began waving and shouting again. "About that dog—" he began.

"Never mind about the dog," snapped Sheila, dusting off the knees of her overalls. "I'm taking him home at once. Come, Chief!" she commanded sternly. "Come, boy!" She gave a determined pull on the leash and turned regally in the direction of Holiday Lodge. But Chief gave an equally determined tug in the opposite direction. He decided it was all a game, and leaped joyfully, emitting great woofs and yipes and wagging his great tail happily. Sheila, on the other end of the leash, was jerked behind him on the run.

The young man in the grey sweater stood and shouted with laughter. Sheila, with flying hair and flaming cheeks, hung desperately on. But Chief ran and leaped and barked, leaving Sheila bouncing like toy balloon on the end of a string. She landed at last in a sitting position directly before the laughing young man.

"Where did you say you were taking your dog?" he inquired innocently, helping Sheila to her feet. "I think he's a bit rough for you," he added hastily, getting a look into Sheila's brown eyes. "Stop, Chief! Quiet, I say!" And the frolicking Chief dog stood suddenly docile beside him.

"Th-thank you," murmured Sheila with shaky little gasp. "He seems sort of have ideas of his own, doesn't he?"

"I'll take him to the lodge for you," offered young man, laying a hand on Chief's collar. "Come on, old boy!"

Sheila cast an appraising glance at this dashing young man. She became aware of very blue eyes and a dashing white lock of hair in a becomingly browned skin, rather unruly brown hair. Tall, with nice builder's and—

"My name," he informed her, "is Jerry Allen. Magazine illustrator by profession. And I honestly thought you were a digging fish worms when I yelled at you. You aren't very big, you know." He frowned down at her.

"I guess we'd better just forget it," decided Sheila. "Won't you come in?"

When Mr. Quillen left some time later, Sheila sat a satisfied glamour to where Molly and Inette lay sunning themselves, lovely oblivious to her discovery.

The following afternoon Sheila was making out a market list, aided and abetted by Molly and subjected to disparaging and cynical comment by Inette. There was much planning and sausage because, after all, the savings of one stenographer (Sheila) plus one professional model (Inette) plus one daughter (Molly) plus one professional a mannequin (Inette) didn't amount to a fortune to spend on a vacation. It took a great deal of figuring with Sheila's stub pencil to keep within their budget.

With the list at last completed Sheila backed Cousin Egbert's small car out of the garage and started off.

Upon arriving in Crestview she swung up to the curb and jumped from the car to be greeted joyfully by Chief, who apparently had occupied an accustomed place on the running board. Sheila eyed him distrustfully. She had learned upon very short acquaintance that where Chief appeared, sudden and unknown events were most likely to transpire.

"You stay right here," she admonished him, and went swinging away to do her shopping. She worked her way carefully down the list until all her purchases were made except the meat. Then she entered the Crestview Market and gave her order.

"Just a moment, Miss," said the butcher and disappeared at the rear of the shop, leaving Sheila alone. She sighed softly and waited. Suddenly she heard a shuffle near her and turned quickly to behold Chief with an entire imported Summer sausage in his mouth!

"Chi-Chief!" gasped Sheila. Chief wagged his great tail in joyful recognition.

Computing swiftly, Sheila experienced a sudden chill. There wouldn't be anything like enough money in her purse to pay for imported salami! In a panic she grasped the sausage firmly in both hands and pulled. Chief set his teeth and clung stubbornly to his prize. Sheila's hat slid sideways, her cheeks flamed, her breath came hard, but she was no match for the dog.

A door slammed and a step sounded at the rear of the shop heralding the butcher's return. Catching her breath sharply, Sheila released her hold on the sausage and prepared to run. But a shadow loomed beside her cutting off escape. Sheila leaned weakly against the counter and closed her eyes. She opened them just in time to see a capable masculine hand reach out and grasp the sausage firmly. Chief meekly unclamped his jaws—just as the butcher returned.

"Here you are, Miss," said the butcher, wrapping Sheila's purchase and shoving it across the counter. But Sheila wasn't watching the butcher. Her brown eyes were fixed unbelievingly on her benefactor, who proved to be none other than her debonair neighbor, Jerry Quillen.

He proffered the sausage with a grand flourish to the butcher. "I'll take that," he remarked. "Thus is," he added, turning politely to Sheila, "if you don't mind!" Stocking the sausage, Jerry flipped some coins on the counter, grinned pleasantly and marched away.

Sheila paid for her own purchase and managed somehow to inveigle Chief into accompanying her to the car. "You're getting to be a downright menace," she muttered, eyeing him belligerently. "You—you great oaf!" She shut the car door with a bang and started the motor with an ominous roar.

The next morning found Sheila walking pedately through the rustic gateway leading to her neighbor's domain. She was wearing a smart yellow linen dress and a sacrificial expression and exclaimed when there upon the mantel incongruously reposed—the sausage!

"That," remarked Jerry solemnly, "is Art. I'll wager you've seen all sorts of things used for mantel ornaments. But that this is the first time you have ever realized the decorative value of the sausage. I thought of it because I'm—"

"A little crazy," Sheila would have finished, if she'd been in her usual spirits. But she only moistened her lips with her little pink tongue, slid to the edge of her chair and remarked swiftly, "I came to pay for it. How—how much is the thing?" She struggled busily with the clasp of her purse.

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"But they do," vowed Jerry. "Especially these fish. I'll bet you never saw—" he proclaimed, "that this has caused them to be known hereabouts as sausage-fish. And are they delicious? My girl, they taste like no fish you have ever eaten in all your life before!"

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"I'll bring some over," promised Jerry. "Very soon."

And so Mr. Jerry Quillen in due time arrived at Holiday Lodge bearing sausage-fish properly scaled and cleaned, ready for the frying pan. Sheila presented him to the other girls and he was promptly invited to dinner.

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slender white bag tightly beneath her arm. She tapped courageously on Jerry Quillen's iron-hinged door which opened immediately to frame Jerry, pipe in mouth.

"Greetings!" he cried, removing the pipe and flourishing it invitingly. "Would you care to enter my poor abode?"

His studio-living-room was pleasantly suggestive of comfort and masculine ownership. It was really nice, thought Sheila, sinking into a chair. Scolding her gaze halted in its inspection of the room—for there upon the mantel incongruously reposed—the sausage!

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One evening she sat in the living-room of the lodge watching Inette monopolize Jerry. Inette sat at the piano in a gown of trailing lavender chiffon with tiny bands of gold upon it. Lavender and gold—the colors of Inette's eyes and hair! She played the piano and sang softly to Jerry and looked up at him with a provocative, possessive little smile.

Sheila stirred in her chair—and winced. Jerry moved in her body's defense. That morning she had felt it her duty to help Jerry rebuild a flower bed in which Chief had declared to frolic. And in the afternoon she had arrived on the scene just in time to see the great dog capering gaily off with Jerry's string of fish. Sums no amount of shouting could recall him. Sheila had set grimly to work helping Jerry prepare the catch. They had fished for two solid hours before the total had reached the number Chief had carried off.

Then Jerry had cleaned the fish and brought them over to Holiday Lodge for Sheila to cook. Molly had gone off with a crowd to a picnic and Inette had long ago assumed the role of gracious hostess when Jerry came to call. Sheila had, therefore, cooked and served the dinner and washed the dishes. She sat now in her little brown seersucker frock watching Jerry grin down at Inette—and smoldered.

It wasn't fair that Inette should go through the days looking so utterly calm, superior, and entirely lovely, while she, Sheila, had to do the work, assume all the responsibility and go shouting about after a great giant of a dog, getting tired, disheveled and—ridiculous!

"How about a little whirl?" inquired Jerry standing before her. Inette was getting dance music on the radio.

"No, thank you," refused Sheila wearily. "My back creaks and my knees refuse to bend. The enforced idleness of this vacation is killing me." There was fire in the brown eyes that were lifted to Jerry's.

"Dance with me, then," invited the ever-present Inette. "I don't creak." Laughingly she walked into Jerry's arms and they danced away.

Sheila approached Chief the next morning with a determined glint in her brown eyes. "Listen, you," she addressed him. "I'm going to break you of running away if it's the last thing I ever do! The next time you run away you're going to get thrashed, do you understand?"

"Woof," replied Chief and pranced, lumberingly.

Sheila armed herself with a heavy switch and sat down quietly to wait, her young mouth drawn into a determined line. She leaned back against a tree trunk and after a while she dozed.

She was awakened by a soft low whistle from the direction of Jerry Quillen's property. The whistle was repeated. With a joyful leap Chief scaled the fence and galloped toward Jerry's front porch. The door opened miraculously and Chief disappeared within.

Immediately Sheila was up in swift pursuit. She didn't wait to go around by the gate. She climbed the low log fence and stalked stealthily by Jerry's studio window. She pressed her small face against the wire screen and looked. And her worst suspicions were confirmed. Mr. Jerry Quillen stood before the mantel and before Mr. Quillen stood Chief, quivering expectantly.

"What say?" inquired Jerry pleasantly. "Woof" replied Chief, jumping eagerly up and down on his large front paws.

Jerry took the remaining fourth of the sausage from the mantel and cut delicious morsels for the waiting dog. Chief sat up and rolled over.

"Good boy," said Jerry and patted him approvingly.

"This was too much. "Bait!" muttered Sheila, and made it around the house in one minute flat. She rushed in without knocking and slammed the door behind her.

Jerry became suddenly aware of a small green-clad whirlwind with coppery curls and enormous angry eyes.

"Bait" cried the whirlwind—and days of pent-up anger were released in a torrent. "Good—so that's the sort of person you are, Jerry Quillen! You entice my dog to your house with sausage and then stand and grin while I try to drag him home! You have because he pets in your flower beds and steals your fish and have me worrying my entire vacation away, while you're whistling to him and coaxing him fish bait. You knew I'd feel responsible because he was my dog and you just deliberately planned mischief! Well, let me tell you I've been humiliated for the last time. I've been mauled and dragged and thrown by that dog till I'm practically bruised to a pulp. But now I'm through. From now on you can protect your own property, and I hope he chews up all your flowers — as well as your imported sausage!"

She turned, gasping, toward the door. With one leap Jerry caught her and drew her back.

"Listen, lady," he said, "you've made one or two slight mistakes. I don't consider you're responsible for Chief because, you see," the blue eyes crinkled, "he happens to belong to me. I bought him from your Cousin Egbert the day before he left."

Sheila's knees became fluid beneath her. She sank into a chair and, gasp as she might, no words came.

"Wh-why didn't you tell me?" she demanded finally.

"When a lady is so certain of her ownership," remarked Jerry with a smile, "it's a little difficult to disillusion her."

Sheila was thinking swiftly. "I'll bet that was what Mr. Martyn was trying to tell me just before he left," she recalled. "Only they were both so excited and Jim Sykes was waiting and—"

"Sheila," said Jerry solemnly, "do you realize that feeding Chief sausage was the only way I could get you to myself? And we did have some swell times, didn't we? Because you aren't afraid of getting your dishes rumpled or your hands soiled. You fish like a veteran and tend flowers like an angel, and your cooking is divine! I didn't like sharing you all the time with Molly and the Duchess so I managed as best I could. Forgive me?" he asked, looking deep into her eyes.

"I'm so glad to turn over the responsibility for that dog I'd forgiven anybody anything," said Sheila fervently. And suddenly she grinned like a tired small boy into Jerry's eager face. "Maybe I can really begin to enjoy my vacation a little now," she remarked hopefully.

"You bet you can!" promised Jerry. "If you'll just place yourself in our care we'll make it all up to you—won't we, Chief, old boy?"

"Woof!" agreed Chief prancing up and down and wagging a devoted tail.

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Swimming Is This Man's Hobby

By BRUCE BYRNES

A MAN is never too old to swim, says 71-year-old W. T. Stanyon, of 867 Hampshire Road.

Mr. Stanyon, a former long-distance swimming champion, still loves the water and keeps in shape by swimming for half an hour every week at Crystal Garden.

If he is in the mood, he will perform some of his aquatic tricks while in for his weekly dip.

"My favorite is the unsinkable body trick," Mr. Stanyon said in an interview this week. "I let myself sink to the bottom in the shallow end of the pool and someone stands on my body long enough to count ten. Then he gets off and I rise to the surface without moving in exactly the same position as I was on the bottom.

"It's all a matter of breath control," he explained. "It's easy when you're used to the water."

Mr. Stanyon, short, stocky and white-haired, gave up daily dips in the cold surf at Willows Beach some time ago. He now does all his swimming at the Crystal, and when he is not in the water he is usually watching or helping instruct some beginner.

"I spend so much time there my wife says I really should go there to live," he said.

A LIFETIME HOBBY

Swimming has been a lifetime hobby for Mr. Stanyon, and he thinks it is "the healthiest sport of all." He starred enterprises at short distances in his native Leicester and in London, and won several prizes, including a marble clock, which he still has.

In his early 30's, he met J. A. Jarvis, another Leicester native, world distance champion for five years. Jarvis coached Mr. Stanyon, persuaded him to try longer distances, and gradually converted him to a distance swimmer.

He won several trophies in distance races before he came to Victoria in 1912. Shortly after he arrived, on Labor Day, he won a rose bowl for a race from James Bay to the Gorge Bridge. He won similar races in later years.

"The water wasn't too cold," he recalled. "The only spot that was really chilly was near Point Ellice Bridge."

The Great War interrupted his swimming career and he joined the Canadian Navy. After the war, he continued swimming in races until he was in his 50's.

"I had a slight stroke when I was about 65, but I kept swimming regularly and I got over it," he said.

LIFE-SAVING GROUP

Mr. Stanyon is president of the Victoria Life-Saving Society, and he hopes to promote interest in swimming and life saving.

"If people did more swimming and knew a little about rescuing they'd be more useful when something goes wrong at beaches," he commented.

Mr. Stanyon has had experience. In 1914 and 1918, he saved swimmers from near Lotus Point. While employed by Oak Bay Municipality for 23 years he instructed a total of more than 300 pupils who received life saving certificates and medallions.

He approved heartily the swimming instruction currently being given in Victoria elementary schools, but feels that not enough instruction is given in life-saving.

"Swimming benefits a person in every way, mentally as well as physically," he said. "Everything in your body is gained when you swim. Our bodies are human machines, and if we look after them in a natural way we get along fine."

Mr. Stanyon hesitated to suggest any set diet that would be of most benefit to a swimmer, but readily outlined his own method when preparing for a race.

"I didn't diet," he said. "I ate what suited me, with plenty of fruit and good plain food, and cut out sweets. I drank nothing stronger than port wine, and until I was 40 I didn't smoke at all."

W. T. STANYON —By Bruce Dawson.

Bridging the Commonwealth

Cable 'Graphs

By The Canadian Press

BOYS LEARN MINING

RHONDDA, Glamorgan, Wales.—Thirteen Harrow schoolboys have sock straw bats for miners' helmets when they went to lessons here in Tynewarr colliery training centre. They were exchange pupils under the Rhondda and Harrow "Hearth and Mine" scheme.

MESS OF POTTAGE

LONDON.—Herbert Perry, 44, was dismissed from the police force for stealing two cauliflowers and one cabbage—valued at 64 cents. He had been a police constable 22 years and would have received a pension in three years.

SAYS OLD BELIEF TRUE

SHEFFIELD, England. — Belief that a drowning man sees a panorama of his life is true, says Arnold Freeman, Sheffield University lecturer who investigated 150 cases of "temporary death" from drowning or falling from heights.

CAN'T GIVE IT AWAY

WELLING, Kent, England.—Nobody wants the challenge cup offered by St. Michael's Horticultural Society. First prize-winner said she had too much silver to clean. The second and third prize-winners said they had won the cup before. The fourth accepted it but brought it back next day.

MYSTERY SOLVED

SUNDERLAND, Durham, England.—Detectives solved the mystery of a new suit and pair of shoes found in a field recently. A merry wedding guest had gone to sleep in the field, then returned home in his underclothing.

STICKS TO THEATRE

LONDON.—Joy Hodgkinson, 20, who two years ago rejected a Hollywood offer including a seven-year contract, has taken a part in a London stage play, "The Cherry Orchard." Last year she worked as a waitress in the Stratford-on-Avon Shakespeare Theatre.

"MINE" DETECTORS

SYDNEY, Australia. — Leading geologists here hope that gold prospectors will soon have uranium detectors — worth about $300 — strapped to their backs. The apparatus — weighing about seven pounds—can detect radio-active matter through three feet of earth.

MATERNAL PROTECTION

PORT ELIZABETH, South Africa.—An elephant cow's maternal instinct recently caused her to stop a train near here. The cow stood in the centre of the track while a calf ambled across the rails and was lifted across a three-foot-high fence by a bull elephant.

KILLS 102 ADDERS

COLIONY, Natal, South Africa.—Sent with 20 natives to demolish a 17-mile-long brick wall, a railway employee here recently killed 102 puff-adders that scurried from the crannies. A blind snake crept out of his bed one morning.

LONDON (CP) —One of the first officers to reach flag rank from the lower deck in nearly 100 years, Rear Admiral Sir Benjamin C. B. Martin, who began his career scrubbing decks at 6d (10 cents) a day, has been promoted vice-admiral on the retired list.

Vanguard Prepares for Royal Australian Tour

The crew of H.M.S. Vanguard are looking forward with keen anticipation to the Royal tour of Australasia next year and are justifiably proud of their association with this great ship in Weymouth Bay (Dorset) before a short down cruise to Gibraltar and Malta. The ship receives final touches for the tour when she gets back to Devonport. Picture shows members of the crew scrubbing and washing the deck.

It's Tea-Time In London

By T. A. LAYTON

LONDON.—Both in fact and in legend tea comes from China; tradition has it that Bodhidharma, somewhat dissatisfied with the brevity of his contemplation of Buddha, resolved to fight off sleep for nine years. When three had passed he took forty winks and was so enraged at his weakness that he clipped off his eyebrows, which fell to the ground and grew into a shrub. Bodhidharma stayed awake for another five years then felt drowsy again. In desperation he plucked at the leaves of the shrub and found that the stimulus produced by chewing them enabled him to stay the course.

That was about 2500 years B.C. and some 4,000 years later tea arrived in England, and then cost seven guineas a pound. By 1658 London already had its first official tea-dealer, Thomas Garway, who had managed to reduce the retail price to fifty shillings a pound.

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Today, tea is everyone's beverage in Britain. In London you may take your afternoon tea in the flower-decked restaurant of a big store in Tottenham Court Road and eat well at home-made bread. You may have it seated under an attractive awning in the open in Waterloo Place or you may sip it from an exclusive store in the same street. And today you may indulge without the feeling of guilt that might have been present in the time of Dr. Johnson who was, with Oliver Goldsmith, one of its staunchest supporters, for he scornfully berated the famous name Hanway—inventor of the umbrella —for his diatribe against tea. Hanway had no use for it, saying that it contributed to the ruin of the country, causing women who drank it to be remarkable for their bad teeth, and chambermaids to lose their bloom.

This made the Doctor see red, but even he was ready to "admit that tea is a liquor not proper for the lower classes as it supplies no strength to the laborer or relief to disease but gratifies the taste without nourishing the body."

How times have changed! If ever there was a beverage which belonged to no particular class, yet every class, it is tea. There is a firm of universal caterers who have hundreds of branches who, it is generally accepted, produce the best cup of tea — irrespective of price — in London.

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If you want to take your cup of "char" (the British Tommy still uses the Chinese word for tea) in more glamorous surroundings, then there is that world-famed afternoon rendezvous for the dainty debutants half-way down Park Lane. The tea you drink will be no better than the teashops I have just mentioned, but soft carpets, dainty cakes and lovely surroundings also are its embellishments.

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Sailing with Edwardes on this voyage will be his wife, a friend Edward Sanders, and a pet cat.

Their ultimate goal will be Norfolk Island, north of New Zealand, where they can live in languid South Sea style by paying six shillings four pence a year (about $1.25).

Edwardes said he was doubtful if the Cocos treasure existed, but he wanted one more try.

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LONDON (CP).—The ladies said no—and the first big deal of the latest soccer season went skittering.

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Bridging the Commonwealth

Cable 'Graphs

By The Canadian Press

BOYS LEARN MINING

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It's Tea-Time In London

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LONDON.—Both in fact and in legend tea comes from China; tradition has it that Bodhidharma, somewhat dissatisfied with the intensity of his contemplation of Buddha, resolved to fast off sleep for nine years. When three had passed he took forty winks and was so enraged at his weakness that he clipped off his eyebrows, which fell to the ground and grew into a shrub. Bodhidharma stayed awake for another five years then felt drowsy again. In desperation he plucked at the leaves of the shrub and found that the stimulus produced by chewing them enabled him to stay the course.

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Today, tea is everyone's beverage in Britain. In London you may take your afternoon tea in the flower-decked restaurant of a big store in Tottenham Court Road and eat with it home-made bread. You may have it seated either in an attractive awning in the open in Wigmore Street or you may sip it from an exclusive store in the same street. And today you may indulge without the feeling of guilt that might have been present in the time of Dr. Johnson who was, with Oliver Goldsmith, one of its staunchest supporters; for he soundly berated the famous James Hanway—inventor of the umbrella —for his crusade against tea. Hanway had no use for it, saying that it contributed to the ruin of the country, causing women who drank it to be remarkable for their bad teeth, and chambermaids to lose their bloom.

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He said that in Britain there would soon be more people over 60 and under 20. For economic reasons it would be necessary for old people to work as long as possible.

Miss Barbara Lewis, another

Seek Treasure On Islands Off Peru

PLYMOUTH, England (UP).—Albert Edwards, 59-year-old professional treasure hunter, has put the finishing touches on a recently refitted fishing cutter, the Heather Glen. He is prepared to sail again for Cocos Island near off Peru, site of a fabulous fortune of lost gold.

According to legend, the authorities in Peru 200 years ago packed the national gold into the schooner Marie Dyer when revolution threatened. The crew mutinied and sailed off with the treasure, but their ship was wrecked on Cocos Island. Since then 64 expeditions have tried to find the gold, of which Edwardes has headed two.

Sailing with Edwardes on this voyage will be his wife, a friend, Edward Sanders, and a pet cat.

Their ultimate goal will be Norfolk Island, north of New Zealand, where they can live in languid South Sea style by paying six dollars four pence a year (about $1.25).

Edwardes said he was doubtful if the Cocos treasure existed, but he wanted one more try.

Wife Reverses Soccer Deal

LONDON (CP).—The ladies said no—and the first big deal of the 1948 soccer season went agliimmering.

For weeks, Newcastle United has been negotiating with Blackburn Rovers for Bobby Langton, lightfooted outside left. The management offered to part with £12,000 ($48,000) and Goalkeeper Jack Fairbrother to get Bobby.

Newcastle all but had Langton name on the dotted line. Then the distaff side went to the mat. Mrs. Fairbrother and she likes New castle, and wants to stay there. Mrs. Langton took a look at Newcastle, and decided she'll stay put in Blackburn.

So Newcastle officials, bowing to the inevitable, called off the transfer. And Langton lost £12 weekly pay increase.